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FACTORY GIRLS

An Entire Morning Spent in Looking for Indiscoverable Work.

One Unfortunate With a Drunken Father, a Tired Mother and a Home Squalid, Crowded and III-Smelling.

who has a good mother to intercede for her. I seem to feel that more strongly every day of my life, especially now that I realize what a hard, hard battle it is for a girl to fight all alone—what fearful odds she struggles against—what terrible temptations surround her on every side, stretching out alluring hands to draw her away from the straight and narrow path. I thought of Tilly Andrews, who came from my old home to St. Louis a year ago to clerk in a big dry goods store. Her wages were \$\frac{1}{3}\$ a week, I knew, for she wrote and told me so, soon after taking the place. The first Sunday I came, I started out to find her, for she had been an old school friend whom I liked. Going to the address she wrote me, I found her just about to leave for a walk with a friend, who was waiting for her.

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wrote me, I found her just about to leave for a walk with a friend, who was waiting for her.

Both girls wore almost the handsomest dresses I had ever seen, with velvet capes and big hats loaded with flowers and piumes. I noticed two large diamond rings on Tilly's hand and another stone in a pin at her neck.

My astonishment could not be concealed. Tilly, whose family were in the poorest of circumstances in Decatur, and whose own wages but \$5 a week, how so gaily and fashionably dressed that I hardly knew her to be the same girl I had shared my lunch with often in the days of the old brick school house, and to whom my mother had given many a cast-off article of clothing.

"Tilly." I said, "where did you get all those fine things? Have you paid for them? Surely you didn't steal chem!"

Wou little innocent, you don't know much, and that's a fact," said she. "There are lots of other ways of getting things besides stealing them, ain't there, Nell?" and with another laugh the two girls, went off for their waik. I turned homeward, heart sick. God willing, I would keep myself honest and clean and pure, anyway. Death itself were better than the lives those girls were leading. But I have digressed.

As I left Blanke Bros. I noticed two young girls, who had been waiting also, stop at the door, and one said:

"Well, where'll we go next."

"Let's try the St. Louis Candy Company, over on Gratiot street."

I was going there, too, so we three started off together.

They had both been looking for work for week, they told me.

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They had both been looking for work for a week, they told me.
"We rifed Liggett & Myer's tobacco factory this morning. They want girls there, but the boss said we was both too little. I told him I was 17, but he wouldn't believe me, 'cause I'm so short. Rose, here is only it, and she ain't very big, either."

There was a marked difference in the clothing of the two girls. The one who talked most, Sarah, a thin-faced, hollow-eyed slip of a girl, was—O; so shabbly clad in an old calico dress, with a muchworn cape reaching only as far as the el-bows and offering almost no protection against the cold piercing winds. Her head and ears were tied up in a black knitted aprangement, the ends of which hung down in front. In these she occasionally wrapped her blue little hands to keep them from becoming wiff with cold. Her shoes were good, I noticed, or whole, at least.
Rose, the other girl, wore a stout black jacket, mittens and a warm hood. I wondered how the two came together. "Do you girls live near each other" I aked.
"Yes—in the same yard," Rose answered.

GIRLS

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I determined to try some of the other candy factories in the city, for surely there must be places where I could earn more than II a week, the wage paid at Power for packing. This was the busy season, too, so proceedings in the week of the past of the

WAITING AT BLANKE'S FACTORY.



At this point bearish news began to come n and the market receded accordingly.

One of the most potent factors in ham

mering down the price was the news of eavy decrease in the European demand for American flour. It was stated that Eu opeans were buying the Hungarian flour

in preference to the American patents and

This had an immediate effect on the wheat market, as a decreased demand for flour means a decreased demand for wheat Still another bearish influence was a ca-ble from the Viceroy of India, stating that

while the rains there had come too late to help the autumn crop; it was in time fo

prices in India showed a tendency to drop,

having already fallen off from 20 to 50 per

92%c, where it was stationary for some time, advancing later to 93%c, but quickly drop-

Things were very dull around the pit all morning, few trades being made. Saturday's report that a large grain firm in Berlin had failed, began to have its effect Monday, adding another to the prevailing

The market grew weaker late in the day losing at 33%c, a drop of %c off the opening

THOMAS JOY MURDERED. Well-Known Sporting Character of

Cincinnati. CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 30 .- At 8 a. m Thomas Joy, known as "Tonie Joy," well known in sporting circles, died at the hospital. He was murdered. Some one shot

him during the night, but Joy never re gained consciousness and the police are un-able to get any clue to the murderer or the

TRELOAR AND RUSSELL.

Back at Washington and Russell Will

Try for Re-Election.

at-Arms B. F. Russell and Congressman Treloar came in to-day. Mr. Treloar has no legislation of special interest for the short session and as he retires March 4, will be a negative quantity. Sergant-at-Arms Rus-

to the Post-Dispatch.

commoner American grades.

ent in the northern districts.

earish conditions.

Which Assays Well.

Another gold find has been made here by A. D. Matthews just north of the city. The ore has been assayed and the report his son, Jephtha D. Frier, died at that place given of \$62 gold to the ton. There is also a small trace of silver.

STEAMER BURNED.

The City of Kalamazoo Destroyed and

SOUTH HAVEN, Mich., Nov. 30.-The The Missouri National of Kansas City steamer City of Kalamazoo, owned by

THE WEATHER FOR TO-DAY.



FAIR AND COLD. The Weather Bureau forecasts are

The Weather Bushes as follows:
For St. Louis and vicinity—Fair and continued cold weather Monday night; Tuesday fair and warmer.

Missouri—Fair and cold Monday night;
Fair with slightly higher tem-

Toesday fair, with slightly higher temperature.

Illinois—Fair and cold Menday night;

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Cold weather still continued over the entire country, except the Florida Peninsula, although there has been a rise in temperature of from to 2 to 26 degrees in the Central West. The line of freezing temperature reaches into Southern Alabama.

The weather has been fair, except for light mown on the lakes, and general rains in the Atlantic and Gulf States; 1.16 inches of rain tell at Atlantia and 1.04 at Lynchburg. High pressure prevails everywhere, the highest being in the Missouri Valley and New Mexico.

JEP FRIER DEAD.

Report From Texas About the Tele graph Operator Who Murdered Landlord Hacker at Pacific.

Frier of this city has just received a tele operator who killed Landlord Hacker at here that Frier had pneumonia some days

BANK CLOSED.

Forced to Quit.

showed deposits of \$1,561,000, and cash and exchanges amounting to \$546,000. Its officials are D. V. Rieger, President, and D. R. Covington. Cashier. In the panic of July, 1898, the Missouri National was one of the local institutions to go under, but it soon reopened.

The bank had been open to-day for just an hour when the Comptroller took charge of its affairs. The closing came as a surprise to the officers. They were thoroughly disconcerted by the action and too excited to make a statement. The same surprise was evinced everywhere, other banks believing the Missouri National to have regained its prestige and to be in a flourishing condition. No fears were expressed by other leading bankers that the failure would spread.

Absolutely no figures on the assets or liabilities are obtainable. Up to 1;30 this afternoon the officials fiatly refused to make a statement regarding the bank's condition, or whether it would likely resumed. a statement regarding the bank's condi-tion, or whether it would likely resum-business. The general opinion, however, is that this second failure will ultimately end in the bank winding up its affairs.

The News in St. Louis.

The National Bank of Commerce of St. Louis is the local correspondent of the Missourl National of Kansas City. J. C. Van Biarcom, Cashier of the Bank of Commerce, when asked about the failure of the Missourl National, said:

"Our bank has not lost any money by the failure of the Missourl National Bank of Kansas City. It do not know, that any bank or individual in St. Louis is affected by the failure.

"We are sorry to loss a good correspondent."

or individual in St. Louis is amected by the failure.

"We are sorry to lose a good correspondent in Kansas City, but we would sooner lose a correspondent than money. The failure was a surprise to me."

It was said that no local bank had suffered and that the Missouri National had received no aid from St. Louis. This statement was supported by the fact that on account of the rivalry between St. Louis and Kansas City for Texas and Oklahoma trade the banks of the two cities are independent of each other, and only maintain ordinary correspondenceship relations.

MAX ALVARY CURED.

The Tenor Has Undergone a Success ful Operation.

JENNA. Saxe-Weimar-Pisenach, Nov. 20. The reports circulated in the United States that Max Alvary, the tenor, is critically ill, are misleading. The singer recently underwent a successful operation, which resulted in a complete cure. He is now taking long

SOCIETY GIRLS AS WAITRESSES.

HIGH-BORN MAIDS SERVING DIN-NERS FOR CHARITY'S SAKE.

IT IS AN ANNUAL AFFAIR.

Young Ladies' Mission of St. John's Methodist Church Feeding the Business Men.

Fair church workers and pretty society girls transformed the fourth floor of Hud-son's building, Broadway and Locust street, into a scene of loveliness and good cheer

St. John's Methodist Episcopal Church were at work bright and early arranging the

big room for their big mission dinner.

A force of men of course did the heavy
work, but the young ladies embellished the
room with draperies and little feminine conceits, which changed it from a commonplace

ousiness apartment to an elaborate cointed dining-room. The Young Ladies' Mission of St.

Church numbers among its members some of the best known and most highly accomplished local society girls.

They have worked hard to insure its success, and with favorable results, for it

Each year during the fall season some enterprise is projected to raise funds for the maintenance of the mission.

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This year a dinner was decided on as a means whereby to deflect the coin of the realm from the pockets of the well-to-do into those of the hungry poor.

J. L. Hudson's offer of the entire fourth floor of his establishment was accepted.

Miss Lida Wallace, president of the mis-

success of the dinner. Fifty young solety girls volunteered to act as walt and ten well-known matrons offered their

services as chaperones.'
Fifty tables have been arranged in

was a large attendance at that hour. Fity cents is the price charged for a dinner, and the proceeds will go to the mission. Dinner is served from 12 to 3. Another dinner

It Was Touched by Chance and Revealed Great Wealth and Proof of Swindling.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.-Assistant District Attorney George Gordon Battle touched a secret spring by chance while sitting alone in his office in the Criminal Court buildings

Forced to Quit.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 30.—The Missouri National Bank closed its doors this morning, owing to heavy withdrawals of one of its principal depositors. Deposits are \$1,500,000. The bank was classed one of the strongest in the Southwest.

Shortly after, Il o'clock the following notice was placed on the door:

"By order of the directors this bank has been closed and is in the hands of the Comptroller."

This action was precipitated by the withdrawal of \$50,000 in one lump by Helm, the wealthy local brewer, whose action was quickly followed by others.

The last statement issued by the bank showed deposits of \$1,561,000, and cash and exchanges amounting to \$566,000. Its officials are D. V. Rieger, President, and D. R. Covington, Cashler. In the panic of July, 1883, the Missouri National was one of the local institutions to go under, but it soon recepened.

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DARING ROBBERY.

Five Men Arrested for Holding Up the Postmaster at Sturgis, Ky., and Looting the Office.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

STURGIS, Ky.. Nov. 30.—Five men were arrested at Marion this morning on suspicion of being concerned in the Post-office hold-up at this place Saturday night. Post-master Dyer was checking up the business of the day at about 7:45, the Post-office being deserted, when a large, heavy-set man entered, walked past the general delivery window, and, poking a revolver in the Postmaster's face, ordered him to blow out the light and lock the door, which he did. Another man entering at the same time, they went through the safe and secured 500 in stamps and 500 in money. They then bound and gagged Mr. Dyer and escaped through the back door. The robbery was not discovered for over an hour, when Mr. Dyer was released. The street was full of people at the time, and it was the most daring robbery ever committed in this county.

KILLED HIS NEPHEW.

The Slayer Was Aiming to Shoot His Own Brother.

shoot his brother, but accidentally the struck the nephew, killing him instan

Jeu Jung's Case Continued. The case of Jeu Jung, the Chinaman wardered his white mistrees, Dora Wagn in Hop Aller a year ago, was continued Judge Harvey's Couts Monday.

TROUBLE IN THE REICHSTAG

BITTER DEBATE ON THE BUDGET HAS BEGUN.

THE ESTIMATES CRITICISED.

Herr Fritzen, Centrist, Declares Tha the Life-Blood of the Nation Shall Not Be Drawn.

BERLIN; Nov. 20.—The debate on the budget was commenced in the Reichstag to-day. Count Von Pasodowsky, the Sec-

Persecution. James A. Hodges, the inventor of the lines, claims to be a victim of police op-pression. He was arrested Saturday on an

pression. He was arrested Saturday on an old execution of \$100 fine for disturbing the peace, although he claims to have shown the officer a remit of the fine signed by Mayor Walbridge.

When Hodges patented his fender he employed the law firm of Peabody & Bentley to attend to the legal points in the case. They did not attend to the case in what he considered a proper manner and he employed other counsel. Several months later Hodges was arrested for disturbing the peace.

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He claimed that Judge Peabody's prejudice got him a fine of \$100 which was stayed until 9 p. m., providing he left town. The same day Hodges went to he Mayor and got the fine remitted. Since then he always carried this document in his booket.

Saturday evening an officer recognized Hodges as having got "hours" some time ago and placed nim under arrest. Hodges showed him the remit of his fine by the Mayor, but the officer refused to acknowledge it and he was locked up. When edge it and he was locked up. When searched at the station he says this remit was confiscated. The Sergeant in charge denies having seen any such document. Hodges remained in jui until Monday. His case was then continued until December 5.

OPEN FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Eugene Jaccard Jewelry Co. Displays Its Stock of Novelties.

Eugene Jaccard Jewelry Co., Sixth and Olive streets, began their Annual Holiapartments were crowded with fair purchesers, who were shrewd enough to want first pick at the novelties. The firm have of a heavy holiday trade.

months past the company's buyers have been scouring the Eastern and foreign markets for the newest things in the jew-elry trade. There is an exhibition of bewildering nove;ties in sliver work. Tollet accessories, chiffonier ernaments and trink-ets are displayed in infinite variety and as

accessories, chinometer and as all sorts of prices.

The bric-a-brac collection is entirely new, the designs and colorings being effective and picturesque. No less complete are the bronzes, an elegant Christmas present for those who are able to invest liberally. Mirrors are in favor again, to judge from the novel designs in the new stock. Studs and links and stick pins are altogether new in design.

design.

The firm carries a full line of diamonds and watches. It isn't necessary to buy everything you inspect at Eugene Jaccard's. The salesmen are there to display the firm's goods and the public are welcome to inspect them.

CONDUCTOR BADLY BEATEN. Found With Two Head Wounds Made

by Boot Heels. Stephen Scott, a conductor on the Broadway car line, living at 3945 Blair avenue, was found unconscious at Eleventh and

Palm streets, Sunday evening about 6

b'clock.

He was taken to the North End Dispensary and Dr. Randall discovered two severe wounds in the top of his head, each about two inches long and close together.

The clotted blood was mixed with dirt, and it was evident that the wounds were caused by kicks from a boot heel.

It took about three hours to revive Scott and then he was in a dazed condition and taid his memory was blank in regard to anything that occurred after 5 o'clock. He remembered nothing of how he was hurt.

urt.
Scott took a day off yesterday to spend
ith a friend who was visiting him.
In the evening he went out for a walk,
le was seen so pas the corner of Broaday and Salisbury street about half-past 5
volcek.

Jerry Caples' Murderer Held.

DR. STARKLOFF RETURNS. Dispensary Reporters to Be Given Chance at News.

Chance at News.

Health Commissioner Dr. Starkloff was at his office at the City Hall again Monday morning after a three weeks' pursuit of quail, ducks, antelope and bear in the vicinity of Paw-Paw Junction.

When a delegation of aggreeved newspaper reporters called on him to learn what truth there was in the rumors of a new regime, under which red tape should play a leading part, and the reporters be banished from the sacred Dispensary precincts. he was diplomatic, as becomes an ampirant for Mayoralty honors.

"I haven't made up my mindeaboue that," he said. "I haven't and I have. I suggested some such reform before I went away. You see there has been altogether too much publicity about the Dispensary heretofore. When a patient came in everybody could hear what was said. If a reporter happened to be around he interviewed the patient and wrote a story. Then the reporters of the other papers would come around and kick because they missed the story."

"But is it true that the press reports are to pass through the front office?" he was tasked.

"Well, yes, I think that would be about

Col. Ed Butler came to grief in the First District Police Court Monday.

He was "trun in de air" by Judge Pea-

day and offered to assault a citizen who remonstrated.

He was arrested and notwithstanding the fact that at the police station he said that he was working for Col. Butler, he was locked up.

In Police Court Monday Kennedy's principal point of defense was that he was an employe of Col. Butler. He was particular to tell Judge Peabody that he had been working for Butler a long time, and that the Colonel and Maj. Harrigan were great friends.

The word Butler was no sesame to the Peabody heart.

The Judge looked at Kennedy.

'And you beat that mule so that he bled?"

Nearly all the packets are also going into winter quarters.

Capt. Whitledge, Acting Commissioner, expects, if all the predictions of a severe winter are realized, that the river will be frozen from four to six weeks. The river has been rather high and the water, therefore, chills slowly, but if the present cold continues another week, the stream will clean.

Fell Downstairs While Drunk. Fell Downstairs While Drunk.

Without ball Monday. He was charged murder in the second degree. On at 1601 Biddle street, fell down stairs at his home Monday morning while intoxicated Caples in Snake Kinney's saloon at and sustained a scalp wound and a fractured and went to Chicago, where he could not be a seal powned and sustained a scalp wound and a fractured with a scalp wound and went to Chicago, where he pensary, and he was sent to the City Hospital.

LOCAL COLD WAYE IS A STAYER.

THE RECORD FOR NOVEMBER SHATTERED TO PIECES.

WARMER WEATHER WEDNESDAY Dr. Frankenfield Says That the St. Louis Folks Do Not Appreciate

His Masterly Tour de Force.

Weather Speculator Frankenfield broke his pipe Monday morning and straightway grew cynical. He decided that there should be no skating during the present cold spell A reporter found the forecaster in the mids of a blue Monday storm center.

SPURIOUS SILVER COINS.

Two Remarkably Fine Counterfeits
Found Here.

While one of the Sub-Treasury olerks was counting a sack of 1,000 silver dollars received from a Texas bank, Monday, he found two finely executed counterfeit coins.

The discovery of spurious silver dollars by Sub-Treasury clerks has become very common in the past few weeks. Three or four were found Saturday. They are received from country banks in exchange for currency and are not detected until the sacks are opened and the money counted. The banks are shipped currency for the sub-Treasurer Small was amazed at the work on one of the counterfeits found Monday. The eagle and the head of Liberty were so well executed that the coin seemed to have been made by a stamp used in the work on one of the counterfeit was weighed attacks in the cointerfeit was weighed

NEW TEMPLE HOUSE. Scottish Rite Dedication Ceremonies at

Tim Kennedy, colored, who drives a slop wagon and carries swill from the hotels to Col. Butler's stink works, brutally beat one of his mules on South Broadway Saturday and offered to assault a citizen who

on South Pennsylvania street. The dedica- \$50,000.

fore, chills slowly, but if the present cold continues another week, the stream will close.

CASE OF CRIMINAL ASSAULT.

Negro Now in Jail Charged With the Crime.

Robert Coleman, colored, was arrested Sunday, charged with criminally assaulting Maggie Humbert, 15 years old, on the 23d linst., while she was alone in her home at 265 Sacramento avenue.

Coleman is said to have accomplished his purpose by threatening the girl's life with a pistol.

Case OF CRIMINAL ASSAULT.

Mayor Walbridge is at work on his annual message, which he hopes to complete in time 40 submit to the Municipal Assembly before Christmas.

The Board of Charity Committee of the House will meet Tuesday at 6:45 p. m.; the Public Improvements Committee at 11 a. m. and the Claims Committee at 11 a. m. The Ways and Means Committee of the Council will meet Tuesday at 4:30 p. m. and the Sanitary Committee Friday at 3:30 p. m. Health Commissioner Frankloff will appear before the latter committee and suggests a number of changes in the pending on milk bill.

Judge Adams Still Ill.

WAS OVERWORKED.

washington, Nov. 30.—Robert E. Mai rall, 34 years old, superintendent of the Itoona division of the Pennsylvania Rail-and, shot himself at his brother's house, road, shot himself at his brother's house, in Washington, to-day. Mr. Marshall was one of the most valued young men in the Pennsylvania service. For some time he has been suffering from acute nervous troubles resulting trom overwork and it is to this that the tragedy is attributed. He was a son of J. W. Marshall, at one time a professor at Carlisle College, Pa. Consul to Leeds during the war and Assistant Postmaster-General under President Grant. His wife, who was Miss Tyson of Maryland, died a year ago and this doubtless contributed to the condition which brought about his end. He leaves two sons.

BONDSMAN'S AGONY IN DIRE DETAIL

bodiest was commerced in the Technical State of the Treasury, dwelt upon the fave control of the Control of the State of t

that Foster would have to surrender the bond in person.

Then Hurley wanted Schaeffer to go with him up to Foster's saloon, but at Broadway Schaeffer decided he would go home. Hurley tried to drag him up to Foster's and Schaeffer battered his countenance. While they fought Patroiman O'Connor placed both of them under arrest and took them up to the Central Police Station, where both of them were locked up.

Foster came over and bailed Hurley out, but surrendered the bond on Schaeffer. Then Schaeffer sent for another bondsman and was liberated on the signing of his bond. He is to appear in Police Court on the Hurley case Dec. 5.

And Foster, the bondsman, is happy.

ISAAC SWOPE HAS FAILED.

HE MANUFACTURED PRIZE PACK-AGE "GOLD" WATCHES.

IN BUSINESS TWENTY YEARS. \$7,500, With Nominal As-

sets of \$50,000.

Isaac Swope & Co., manufacturers of "Goldine" watch cases, at 118 North Third

is the first of three which will be consumed street, have failed. The total liabilities are

No further details were known by the local office force. Mr. Weman, the book keeper, would not give out any figures. He attributed the failure to business depression.

sion.

The firm's heaviest creditors will probably be the European watch factories, from which they imported the cheap movements used in their cases. They also buy their "filled" cases unstamped in the East. The copper and other metals used in the manufacture of "goldine" is purchased here in St. Louis. SHOT HIMSELF.

A Bank Cashier Who Had a Dread of Insanity. FISHER, Minn., Nov. 30.-M. Sanake

FISHER, Minn., Nov. 30.—31. Sanaker, cashier of the Bank of Fisher, shot himself dead yesterday. His father died insane and he feared following in his footsteps. The bank's affairs are in excellent shape. How Each State Went

During the last election and all prior elections 1864 is shows in the political chart since 1864 is shows in the political chart with the OWL CAR TIME TABLE, Get

MRS. SWERINGEN WINS HER SUIT.

ACCRETIONS TO RIVER FRONT PROPERTY GO TO HER.

LARGE SUM IS INVOLVED. ed the City and the St. L., K. W. Ry. Co. for the

Property. Mrs. Mary J. Sweringen has won her amous suits against the city and the St. famous suits against the city and the St. Louis, Keokuk & Northwestern Railway

of real estate on the river front, near Dock

property was accretion from the river to land she owned which had been left high and dry by the deposits of years.

The city took the property in 1864 for wharf purposes and later the railroad company acquired some of it. The city did not perfect its tiole by proper condemnation proceedings, but the question in the case hinged directly upon the question of whether the land was accretion from river and whether that fact entitled Mrs. Sweringen to it.

whether that fact entitled Mrs. Sweringen to it.

Judge Wood of the Circuit Court Monday deckled both questions in Mrs. Sweringen's favor. An appeal will be taken.

A similar suit instituted by Mrs. Sweringen in Judge Fisterate's court was recently decided in her favor.

The land in question extends from the river front westward over 100 feet, and lies between Dock and Buchanan streets.

Mrs. Sweringen's original property, which she acquired by purchase, lies just west of Main street.

POSTMASTERS FIRED,

The One at Mexico, Mo., Charged With Insulting the President and Offending Otherwise Politically.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.-The President and removals of Postmasters:

Illinois-Evanston, Charles Raymond, vice David P. O'Leary, removed,
Missouri-La Plata, J. W. Overstreet, vice Wm. F. Cole, dead; Mexico, Luke W. Morris, vice John W. Mason, removed. The old Postmaster at Evanston wa charged with going out of his jurisdiction to sell stamps and postal supplies so as to increase the receipts of his office and raise his salary and allowances. This is regarded as a serious violation of the rules and works to the detriment of adjacent offices.

The summary action regarding the Mexico, Mo., postmaster is the outcome of numerous serious charges which have been on file here since the political campaign closed. They include pernicious activity in politics, insulting the President and making attacks upon his alleged neglect of office and other offenses. He is a believer in free coinage of silver, and the complaints set out that during the campaign he made himself obnoxious by breaking up gatherings of the opposite political faith. In the neighborhood of a hundred post offices are involved in charges of pernicious activity in politics now filed with Postmaster General Wilson. They include a number of big offices, against whose heads serious accusations are made. The policy of the Postmaster General has been to act as leniently as possible and make removals only where necessary, and accordingly all the charges save half a dozen have so far been ignored, though action on a number of others will shortly follow. The summary action regarding the Mexico

STEINWAY DEAD.

The Well-Known New York Piano Manufacturer Yielded to Typhoid Fever.

TO CONTEST WITH REED.

Grosvenor Is Out for the Speakership

of the House. pecial to the Post-Dispatch. WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.—The statement is made to-day on the highest authority that Gen. Charles H. Grosvenor of Ohio will contest with Thomas B. Reed for the Speakership of the House of High

for the Speakership of the House of high Tariff and Protection, and will have back of him the full force of the McKinley ad-ministration.

Said a friend of Speaker Reed to-day:
"We have discovered that Grosvenor is al-ready corralling his forces and will make practically the same fight on Reed that Carlisle made on Randall, with the differ-ence that Grosvenor will be backed by Mc-Kinley and all the forces at his command."

fact established by the testimony of thou-sands, that Hood's Sarsaparilla does cure ecrofula, salt rheum, catarrh, and ether diseases and affections arising from impure state or low condition of the blood. It also overcomes that tired feeling, creates a good appetite, and gives strength. Catarrh and Dyspopsia.

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We feel that we owe an apology to those who failed in getting waited on Saturday in our

> Great Sacrifice Sale of the Max Ernst Clothing Stock.

We expected a crowd, of course, but did not count on half men in town coming all in one day!

Those of you who could not get attention Saturday will fare better to-morrow. There are plenty of those Elegant Suits and Overcoats and Ulsters of Max Ernst's left, but good things like these go like hot cakes when PRICES ARE CUT SO DEEPLY AS THESE.

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DEATH NOTICES.

len, wife of James Allen and mother of Eddie, Walter, May, Katle and Linnie Al-

Funeral from the family residence, No. 8345 Clayton avenue, Wednesday, Dec. 2, at 2:30 a. m., to Calvary Cometery, Friends of the family invited to attend. Minnesota papers please copy.

M'GOVERN-On Saturday, Nov. 25th, at 11 p. m., Patrick J. McGovern, after a short illness, aged 24 years 9 months and

S days.

Funeral will take place from family residence, 67% South Sixth street (Carondelet), on Tuesday, Dec. i, at i p. m., to SS. Mary and Joseph Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery, Friends of the family are invited to attend.

O'ROURKE-On Sunday, November 23, at

1 p. m., Lizzie O'Rourke, beloved wife
of William O'Rourke, aged 23 years.
Funeral from family residence, 2711
Bernard street, on Tuesday, December
1, at 1:29 p. m., to St. Malsohy's Church,
thence to Calvary Cametery. Friends
are invited to attend.

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U. S. SUPREME COURT.

Decision Adverse to Chapman, the Sugar Trust Witness.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30 .- The Suprem Court has dismissed the writ of error in the case of Elverton R. Chapman, the New NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Wm. Steinway, the plane manufacturer, died to-day at his residence in this city. Death was due to typhoid fever.

Mr. Steinway, who had not been in good health for a year past, was taken ill with typhoid fever about four weeks ago. He was thought to be progressing toward recovery until Sunday morning, when he suffered a relapse. His physician was instantly summoned and remained with him until the end came at a little after 3 o'clock this morning.

Two Boston Men Have a Probably Fa-

tal Fight. BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 30 .- What will prol BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 30.—What will probably prove a double murder, occurred in a little candy and fruit store on Broadway in the South Boston district, this forencon, when H. H. Holmes shot W. H. Jordan, proprietor of the store, three times, and the latter succeeded in cutting a deep gash in Holmes' throat before he fell to the floor exhausted from his own wounds. The trouble resulted from a quarrel over an unpaid bill. It is believed both men will die.

Burial Permits. EHLE—On Sunday, Nov. 23, at 3:20 a. m., after a lingering lilness, Frank M. Ehle, beloved son of Joseph Ehle and Mrs. Monica Ehle (nee Hurley), and beloved brother of Joseph, Emms, Henry and Charlie Ehle, aged 20 years, 3 months

MARRIAGE LICENSES

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Arrived: Pomera nian from Glacow; Armenia from Ham burg; Furnessia, Glacow. HAYRE, Nov. 30.—Arrived: La Touraine New York

MITH-Sunday, Nov. B, at 8 p. m., Al-fred H., beloved child of Alfred E. and Lizzie Smith, nee Reagan, aged 7

No more difficulty in taking God Liver (Si. or thousands of victims of Consumption or the control of the contro

FILLEY'S FUR

KERENS, VARNER AND FRANK WANT FULL CONTROL.

DEMAND ALL THE PATRONAGE.

President Cleveland Will Have Trouble of His Own in the Matter of Confirmation.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.—Very few
of the members from Missouri have reached the capital. The Democratic members remained at home to eat Thanksgiving din-ners amid Democratic surroundings and the Republicans who failed of re-election in the ntry districts take no turther interin Congressional legislation. In a few short weeks they must divorce themselves from the comfortable salaries and emoluments which have been theirs since the landslide of 1894, when the Democrats allowed Mr. Filley to slip in ten of his hench men for a two-years run in the clove

The only thing left them is prospective patronage under the McKinley administra-tion, and that is a slender thread indeed. Missouri at the most will get few places out-side the post-offices, because it refused to be Hannaized and gave the Bryan electors the greates: vote in the history of the State.

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But, for the patronage, such as it is, there is going to be a row of tremendous proportions. The defeated Congressmen in the country districts and the two Filley Republicans from the city of St. Louis—Joy and Bartholdt—propose to attempt to control the patronage in their respective districts. Their aspirations in this direction will run counter to the plans of the Kerens-Warner-Frank patronage bureau, and a test of strength will come early in the game.

The defeated Filleyites—Clark of the First, Crowther of the Fourth, Tracey of the Seventh, Hubbard of the Eighth, Treloar of the Ninth and Burton of the Fifteenth—propose to spend much of the Fifteenth—propose to spend much of the Fifteenth—propose to spend much of the were now and March 4, when McKinley will begin the distribution of plums, in constructing a Filley "trocha" about every presidential post-office in Missouri, to prevent the emissaries of the Kerens-Frank-Warner bureau 'taking possession.

While the nerve of the Filleyite Congressmen is to be applauded and encouraged as a good thing—confined to Republican ranks—it is considered as practically decided in advance that the patronage firm of Kerens-Frank-Warner & Co. will countersign all commissions for the State, and that 'their ''O. K.'' blown in the glass will be regarded as final and conclusive upon applications filed with McKinley.

The only thing likely to cause any ruc-

The only thing likely to cause any ruction is the probability of members of the patronage firm falling out among themselves over the distribution of the territory allotted to each.

Col. Kerens and Col. Frank will be given St. Louis City, the county, all that portion of the State included in the Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Flitteenth Congressional Districts, and probably the First Congressional District may be thrown in as a sop to Col. Kerens' position as Missouri member of the National Committee.

But the reasons advanced in the case of Mr. Francis do not hold good to any other recess appointment. There can be no application of such a rule in the appointment of W. S. Forman, the "Swamp Fox" of East St. Louis, who has come on to succeed Joe Miller as Collector of Internal Revenue. Mr. Forman's appointment was made as a direct reward for his treachery to the Democratic party of Illinois. This fact will be remembered when Forman's name goes in, and unless the temper of the sliver men change his tenure of office as a Wall street cuckoo will be as brief as his term of enlistment in the ranks of the Heesslans. The feeling against Mr. Forman is bitter, and the fact that his appointment was in the nature of a reward for his efforts for Tanner and McKinley does not tend to make his pathway to confirmation easy or pleasant.

INFANT HEALTH SENT FREE tle book that should be in every

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record on the mooted point, but they do not hesitate to say that appointments to succeed men removed merely because they would not join the Cleveland-Hanna combination to let Wall street have a free fling at controlling the financial policy of the Government for four years, will be rejected juts as promptly as sent in.

Senator Jones, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, will postpone any formal silver caucus until Senator Henry M. Teller of Colorado can be here. Senator Heller has telegraphed that he will be detained in the West until Dec. 12, so until that date, at least, there will be nothing more than informal discussion among silver men. Chairman Jones is confident that whatever obstacles may be thrown in the way by the Republicans, the national administration cannot prevent silver being the issue in 1900. As the chairman of the Democratic National Committee puts it, the Congressional election of '98 will result in the return of a decisive Democratic majority in both houses. A silver bill will be passed in short order and presented to President McKinley. The Western Republicans will demand that he sign it. The Wall street leaders will enter strenuous objection. If Mr. McKinley should veto it the Democrats would go into the campaign and fight for the issue on its merits.

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS.

THE JUDGES MET AND ADJOURN-ED UNTIL MONDAY NEXT.

GRAVE CASES ON DOCKET.

They Involve Decisions of Interstate Law That Will Seriously Affect Some Large Interests.

The Judges of the United States Court of Appeals, clad in their silk gowns, the near-est approach to the official ermine known n this country, mounted the bench of their tribunal in the Federal building Monday

Court was convened according to the form used in the United States Supreme Court, and then Judges Caldwell, Thayer and Sanborn attended to some unimportant business. Adjournment was declared until next Monday, when several important

until next Monday, when several important cases will come up for argument.

The first case on the docket is one which is of vital interest to all labor unions. It is an injunction suit brought by the Oxley Stave Company against Lodge 18 of the Coopers' International Union of North America and the Trades Assembly of Kansas City, Kan., to prevent them and their officers from boycotting the plaintiff.

The United States Court of Appeals is the court of last resort for such cases, and hence the argument before it and its decision will be highly important events in the history of labor Irtigation. The Federal Court of Appeals has not passed on the boycott question, but corporations have in recent years showed a disposition to run to the United States courts for ald when they have controversies with employes, and the national tribunals are being called on to consider every phase of the issue between capital and labor. Hence the boycott is now to have its turn.

According to the pleadings the Oxley Stave

ROSENTHAL'S CONDITION.

under the care of a trained nurse. He has

Divorces Granted. Mamie Lowe obtained a decree of divorce-by default from Montrose Lowe in Judge Withrow's Court Monday, on the ground of

Withrow's Court Monday, on the ground of desertion.

Judge Withrow also granted Hattle Depew a divorce from Strother S. Depew, on the ground of desertion.

In Judge Dillon's Court a divorce was granted Emma J. Wood from John B. Wood on the grounds of cruelty and desertion.

James H. Bright obtained a divorce from Mana C. Bright, by default, in Judge Dillon's Court, Monday. He tewified that on returning home one evening, he found a note from his wife, stating she was out with a triend. He traced her to the Southern Hotel, where he found her in the parior with a former sweetheart. When Bright upbraided her, she declared that she loved, not him, but the other map

HOPING TO WORK A SNEAK IN THE FIRST DISTRICT.

WANT CLARK TO HOLD OVER.

Lysander Thompson Is the Latest An nouncement Among the Democrats for Giles' Seat.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MACON, Mo., Nov. 30.—A prominent Republican in the confidence and in the Consultations of the leaders of the First Congressional District, stated to-day that Congressman Clark would hold over and there would be no special election in this district for three reasons: First, because when the Secretary of State went to issue the certificate he would find Congressmanthe certificate he would find Congressmanelect Giles, Democrat, dead, and would
have to issue it to Maj. Clark, the next highest in the race; second, as Mr. Giles died
before his certificate of election was issued,
it made the case the same as if Mr. Giles
had been dead the day he was voted for and
received a majority without the knowledge
of his death by the voters; third, because
Mr. Giles had not, and, owing to his death,
cannot file an account of his campaign expenses, and Maj. Clark filing his expense
account under the corrupt practice act,
he can demand, and receive the certificate
of election, and under the laws take his
seat in the Fifty-fifth Congress, and be
sustained by the Republican majority therein.

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seat in the Fifty-fifth Congress, and be sustained by the Republican majority therein.

This same man stated that Maj. Clark was shrewd enough by not saying anything to waive his right to hold over two years longer. He did say, however, that Maj. Clark stated in the event his lawyers and the proper official authorities and channels held another election could be legally held regardless of his rights, and the situation the case is now in he would become a candidate for re-nomination. It is quite certain the Republicans are preparing to stand pat and take advantage of Mr. Giles' death and so attempt to retain Maj. Clark in office two more years, notwithstanding the 5,000 plurality cast against him.

Hon. Lysander Aurelius Thompson, well known criminal lawyer and Democratic orator of Macon, stated to the Post-Dispatch correspondent to-day that owing to his political and legal associations with the late Richard P. Giles, he had declined to discuss the many requests and pledges of support from Macon and other counties to become a candidate for Congress, but that in due time, or as soon as the Governor orders the special election, he will enter the race for Congress. Mr. Thompson served in the Legislature in 1831 and again in 1859, and was always with the people as against the corporations and monopolies, and was feared by the lobby. Thompson made a reputation in 1889 as the author and advocate of an anti-trust bill. He has always been for the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, regardless of other nations.

Bland Spoke at Springfield.

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Death of Lord Savile.

The Pianist Is Suffering From Typhoid
Fever.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 30.—Herr Moritz
Rosenthal, the celebrated pianist, will remain at his apartments at the Auditorium under the care of a trained country.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Lord Savile is dead.

John Savile, P. C., G. C. B., was born in 1818. In 1837, by royalty, he assumed the surname of Savile in place of Lumiey. He was created Baron of Savile of Rufford Nots in 1888. His heir, by special remainder, is his nephew, John Savile-Lumiey.

Princess Elizabeth of Lord Savile.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—A Berlin dispatch to the Times says that the Princess Elizabeth of Lippe is dead at Delnod. She was Prin-cess of Schwarzburg-Rubolstadt, and was the widow of Prince Leopold of Lippe. She was born in 1833.

Ashore on Elbow Reef. KEY WEST, Fla., Nov. 30.—The British steamer Mayfield, Capt Fargher, from Penarth, Nov. 10. for Galveston, in ballast, ran ashore at 1 o'clock on the morning of the 29th on Elbow Reef. The Mayfield is of 1725 tons register, halls from London, and belongs to the Mayfield Steamship Line.

Bulgarian Election Riots. SOPIA, Bulgaris, Nov. 20.—The elections to the Sobranjor which occurred Sunday, were accompanied by serious disturbances, and the troops and police had to be called out to dispurse the most here and in the

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provinces, as the result of which many persons were wounded. The police fired into the crowd at Zaribrod, killing several perons.

The election of members of the Sobranje esulted in a great Government victory.

Lady Scott's Trial Adjourned. LONDON, Nov. 30.—The further hearing of Earl Russell against Lady Scott, his mother-in-law, and three men, for criminal libel, was adjourned for a week to-day, owing to the illness of Frederick Kast, one of the male defendants.

SACRIFICED HIS SON.

The First Duty of Gen. Muniz Was to His Country.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- A dispatch to the Herald from Buenos Ayres says: The Herald correspondent in Montevideo telegraphs alarming reports which show that the revolution in that republic has not yet been suppressed and that the federal troops have met with disaster at the hands of the insurgents, who crossed the Brazilian border into Uruguay.

President Borda has received a dispatch from Cerro Largo, near the Brazilian frontier, which says that Gen, Muniz, the Uruguayan commander, who pursued Saraiva, overtook the latter and was defeated in a battle which followed. Gen. Muniz is reported to have been taken a prisoner. His son, who was captured on the frontier some days ago, is dead.

President Borda's reports also state that before Gen. Muniz met Saraiva in battle, the latter sent a message to the Uruguayan general, saying that if he were not pursued further toward the border, Gen. Muniz's on should be released, otherwise he would be killed. Gen. Muniz replied that his duty te his country was above his love as a father. The Brazilian Government has taken measures to observe strict neutrality on the Uruguayan border. alarming reports which show that the rev-

measures to observe strict neutrality the Uruguayan border.

How Each State Went

During the last election and all prior electio since 1864 is shown in the political chart with the OWL CAR TIME TABLE. Get one at this office. Free. .

*Colliery Closed Down.

ASHLAND, Pa., Nov. 30.—Packer Colliery No. 5. at Park Place, Pa., owned by the Lehigh Coal Co., closed down to-day for an indefinite period, presumably for repairs. Eight hundred men and boys are thrown out of employment.

WOMAN TO WOMAN.

Women are being taught by bitter experience that many physicians cannot successfully handle their peculiar ailments known as female di Doctors are willing and anxious to help them, but they are the wrong sex to work understandingly. When the woman of to-day ex-



ful menstruation pains in sensation, palpitation, "all

gone" feeling and blues, she at once takes Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable immediate relief. Should her symptoms be new to her, she writes to a woman, Mrs. Pinkham,

Lynn, Mass., who promptly explains her case, and tells her free how to get well. appealing to Mrs. Pinkham for advice, that a score of lady secretaries are kept constantly at work answering the great volume of correspondence which comes in every day. Each letter is answered carefully and accurately, as Mrs. Pinkham fully realizes that a life may depend upon her reply, and into many and many a home has she shed the rays of hardness. BALLOT BOXES.

ELECTION COMMISSIONERS IN-

SIST THAT THEY HAVE IT. FISSE'S PETITION

Judge Valliant Hears Both Sides of the Controversy Over the Pro-

posed Recount.

ARGUED.

The answer of the Board of Election Com-

box on the rejected ballots before the boxes were sealed, it was too late to rect the mistake.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett has returned to Washington from Europe. She is furned it was understood to be for the benefit of it was understood to be for the benefit of it was understood to be for the benefit of it was understood to be for the benefit of it was understood to be for the benefit of it was understood to be for the benefit of it was understood to be for the benefit of it was understood to be for the benefit of the waste of the pure and Talty. Judges-elect Zachritz, Spenies and to reply to application Nov. 30.

The board's return first alleges that Mr. The police are searched the wasted that the proceedit the wasted that the ballots of the purpose of or examined.

It further denies that the mistake made by the Judges and clerks should have been rectifed before the boxes were sealed, and in regard to charge that no public purpose will be subserved by securing a statement of the made of the rejurning a statement to be made of the requiring a statement to be made of the rejurning a statement of the rejurning a statement of the proc

You can economize during the winter by boarding at the St. James Hotel.

MR. M'CREERY STILL OUT.

Technical Error in His Bond Causes

UNITED SINGERS' CONCERT.

North St. Louis Musical Societie Form a Large Chorus. The first concert of the United Singers

North St. Louis, given Sunday night a Social Turner Hall, Thirteenth and M roe streets, was largely attended and was roe streets, was largely attended and was an artistic success. The societies which took, part were the Apollo Gesangverein Freier Maennerchor, North St. Louis Bunderchor, Aurora Saengerbund, Liederkrann der Hermanns Soehne, Gesang Section des Socialen Turnverein, Teutonia Gesangverein, Norohwest Gesangverein and the Schleswig-Holstein Leiderkranz. The united chorus was led by Ernst Gaudart.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS.

J. H. Box, general store, Abbot, Tex., has A new electric plant has been put in op-eration at the Capitol building in Washing-

Hezekiah Chryst, a farmer, living near Sedalia, Mo., committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. Charles H. Gunn, a Quincy, Ill., travel-ing man, became suddenly insane at Lit-tle Rock, Ark., yesterday.

Burglar Takes a Trunk.

The police are searching for the burglar that took Miss Sue Ward's trunk from Mrs.

J. N. Piper's boarding-hor *,1510 Washington avenue. White files Ward was down town at work her room was entered and a trunk containing all her personal belongings was lowered from a window to the ground. A transient boarder who disappeared at the same time with the trunk is suspected.

VISITORS IN THE CITY.

Technical Error in His Bond Causes the Long Delay.

Wayman C. McCreery has not begun his labors as Uncle Sam's Collector in these parts, and the reason is that there has been a hitch in Mr. McCreery's bond.

The Government is a mighty particular individual, and when it comes to setting things right down in a bond, is as crotchety and fault-finding as an old wbman with her tea and snuff.

Mr. McCreery's bond.

The Book Region of the Southers.

Mr. Staise S. Halliday and Miss C. J. Halliday, deeper of a boarding camp near Summit a time of Pittsburg, P.a., and Mrs. Davis are guests of the Lindell.

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Miss Station, and his very home by two negro and representation of the Sulters of Deapers of the Southers.

Local Brook Again Assailed.

PERRY, Okla, Nov. 20.—Vord has been received that a second attempt was made the Lacied. Hot of the Sulters of the Western Elective Corporation was to become mancially responsible for his acts as Collector.

The bond was drawn up and the St. Louis for correction Friday. The company failed worth twice as much words that it was booth, which is a stone of the Sulters of the Western Lest. The Sulters of the Western Lest. W. A. Bleer, is believed the corapany, and these figures clearly denough the corapany, and these figures clearly denough the corapany, and these figures clearly denough the corapany, and the was bond, which is not provided the corapany, and these figures clearly denough the corapany, and these figures clearly denough t

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ome Valuable Results of Experiments

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.-Commercial experiments by Profs. Pfeipper and Kalio with "typhus anti-toxin." If the hopes Hon. Owen Scott, ex-Congressman, has purchased the interest of L. A. Cass in the Bloomington, Ill., Daily Leader.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett has returned to Washington from Europe. She is writing two books, one for children in the blood of anti-typhoid substances. The typhoid bacillus is known to exist largely in well and spring water and the fact that they are frequently the direct causes of infection is recognized by bacteriologists. Consequently the experiments, the report sets forth, tend to trace the existence of it these germs and, by locating them, preserve numberless lives. It is shown that between the ages of 30 and 25, persons are most prone to the development of the typhus germs. It is claimed that the "typhus anti-toxin" can easily and quickly be inoculated, proving of great benefit, especially in time of epidemic. The entire results of the experiments will soon be published for the benefit of the medical world.

Goes by Invitation and May Get an

washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—Senator last evening by way of Pitfaburg. The fact that he did not even tell his wife where he was going shows the secrecy with which he desired to "guard his trail." But he got a telegram from McKinley, and away he

a telegram from McKinley, and away he went.

Affairs of State and Cabinet will be discussed by the President-elect and Mr. Lodge, who has long had aspirations for the British Ambassadorship. It is asserted that he would rather be Ambassador to Great Britain than Secretary of State.

The Massachusetts Seneator and whilom backer of the Reed Presidential boom will probably acize the occasion to "make himself solid" with the President-elect, and to fill his ears with the choice news of foreign affairs, of which Secretary Olney, his close friend, has kept him posted. Cuba is to the forefront, and Senor Queseds, Secretary of the Cuban Junta, arrived in Washington but a few hours before Mr. Lodge departed.

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MATINEES TO-MORROW HOPKINS'. HOPKINS'-Continuous.
STANDARD-Gus Hill's Novelties. HAVLIN'S-"The Defaulter.

A BLOW AT THE ARBITRARY. Traffic Manager Leeds has figured it

out that the bridge arbitrary is a source concludes that it is a saving in time for consignees to send their transfer wagons across the river to bring back freight billed to East St. Louis or to send over the bridge, to be billed out of East St.

That great enterprise grew out of the many thousands of dollars were added necessities of the jobbing trade for better to the fund. and nearer terminal facilities. Mr. Leeds is certainly not justifying the bridge arbitrary in contending that it makes long if they are once looked up. Gen. Collis and costly time-consuming methods of of the Department of Public Works of transfer profitable by comparison.

GIVE IT A CHANCE.

If the Commercial Club is to attempt the degree of public interest necessary may employ a Gen. Collis to come to our to a fast and permanent settlement of relief. the question be aroused.

special election. It was at a special election in Chicago, Mr. Hitch-cock urges, that the majority of 40,000 votes for civil service reform was obtained. But the total affirmative vote at that election fell 50,000 short of being an annoyance. There is no good reason why any man should commit suicide in another man's house, but suicides rarely fear River was more truly the first blood to the original fell fear River was more truly the first blood of the war against British authority than the something that this one should have either the fight at Concord Bridge or Dr. call admonit of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than believed by the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood of the war against British authority than the first blood at the first blood a at that election fell 50,000 short of being felt uneasy about it. a majority of the total vote of Chicago.

Let the proposition for the reorganiza-

tion of the civil service of St. Louis have fair chance. Such a chance as it had in Chicago is not a fair one.

and evident anxiety to the plutocratic press, and particularly to that part of it affiliating with the Republican party.

Immediately after the result of the elecand ass tion in Kansas was known the Post-Dispatch declared that it was significant of the result in Nebraska was no less sig-nificant. The population of Nebraska is in large part the same in character and origin as that of Kansas. Kansas draws largely from New England and such Western States as Illinois and Missouri. Nebraska, like Iowa, is largely populated from the Central States, New York pre-

out detracting from the splendid sonality of William J. Bryan, we be-e that it was the issue that carried crasks, as it did Kansas. We believe

tary reform, would have carried Ne-We can understand the anxiety of th Plutocrats. Kansas and Nebraska are sign posts at the cross roads now as they

were a generation ago, A FEASIBLE PLAN.

The latest suggestion as to President Cleveland's intention regarding the Cu-ban crisis is that he will recommend to Congress a plan by which the Cubans may purchase their independence. The plan will involve a sort of tripartite agreement between the United States, Spain and England. In accordance with the agreement, English capitalists would fur-

goes object to it on the ground that it in- that, though confidence is restored in the Daily and Sunday, by carrier, in towns outside of vites England's participation in some St. Louis, 15 cents a week, 60 cents a month. Week lay only 10 cents a week. thing which does not concern her. But England has just shut down, and that her participation would be simply that of its 1,200 employes are idle. money lender-the part which John Bull usually plays in international politics. As the United States, under the arrangement, Red Top, Gray Gables, the one at Princewould guarantee the repayment of the ton and the White House. He would money, the Cubans having attained their gladly give up the other three if he could independence would recognize American rather than British influence in the confuct of their affairs, and it is to be pre sumed that England would have no right

of interference except in case of failure to obtain the return of her money. But what most commends the plan is that it would be less humbling to Spanish pride to enter into a tripartite agreement of this kind than to yield either to the Cuban insurgents or to the United States alone. Anything in reason that will make it easier for Spain to recede from an un-tenable position should be favored by all peace-loving citizens. The essential thing s that the barbarous warfare now raging in Cuba shall be brought to a speedy end and that the end shall be the independence of the Cubans. The best method of accomplishing this is a matter for diplomacy, and should be sought without reference to the jingoes on either side of

the water. RETAIL GROCERS' GRIEVANCE.

The 1,400 retail grocers of St. Louis are alarmed at the inroads into their business being made by the big department tores that have a grocery branch. These department stores, having command of large capital, can underbuy the retailers at wholesale and undersell them to the consumer. The retailer feels that this ort of thing cannot go on indefinitely He must do something to stop it, and his idea is to stop selling the articles sold at lower prices than he can afford by the big department stores, and place on his shelves other goods in their stead.

If the retail grocers can succeed in doing this, it will be a boon to the housewives and to St. Louisans generally. It will give us a greater variety of the good things of life to select from, and in this way it would no doubt prove a benefit to are patrons of the Post-Dispatch. Its tically certain that Dublin, which was readers will find the best of everything the retailers' trade.

There has been much lack of enterprise among St. Louis retail grocers, except in a few instances, in bringing forward new articles of food and enticing novelties in canned goods, cereals and other foods. There is no reason why we cannot have on sale here all the new and tasty food products as they come into Eastern markets. To go to the grocery day after day and week after week and have no choice but the same old "stand-bys" is not good

for the consumer or the merchant. If the present movement results in of advantage and prosperity to many of the business interests of St. Louis. He partment stores to new enterprise in catering, it will be a decided improvement.

Now that the election is over. Senator Hoar is talking of "the abuses that have unfortunately become too common in this Louis, their shipments to the East and country in this day of rapid accumulation of wealth." Had Mr. Hoar talked This is certainly a new view to take of in this way in September and October traffic arrangements. Heretofore calcu- he would have been denounced as an lations have been made on entirely differ- Anarchist, and his words might have ent lines. It was certainly not such cal- caused many contributors to Mr. Hanna's culations as this of Mr. Leeds which led fund to hesitate. It was in the hope of correcting history. The occasion was his wear the coveted red ribbon and now Sisto the building of the Cupples group. the perpetuation of these abuses that reaction to the Vermont society, Sons of the Revolution. After the fashion of the trained Tours Hospital, has been with the French

A city has many resources of taxation New York City finds that the covered openings in front of buildings and the covered areaways are subject to charges forcing the question of life tenure into he expects to secure a revenue of \$250,000 municipal politics, let the question be a year from this source. By the time the raised at a r ners; and not at a special city of St. Louis has added a few millions election. Only at a general cleation can Only at a general election can more to its indebtedness, we ourselves

He guestion be aroused.

He ary Hitchcock, whose attitude on the guestion is supposed to have brought the Commercial Club into the campaign, is said to favor the submission of the question at a special election. It was at a special election in Chicago, Mr. Hitch-

As a result, the law itself is without fix- If our battleships become disease breedity of tenure. A large body of the citiers by contact with sewage-poisoned zens of Chicago insist that the exercise mud in the Brooklyn Navy Yard, perhaps of the powers it confers is practically a the most deadly use we can put them to it are without morale or discipline, and demoralization and inefficiency are results our modern bacteria as by the old-fashioned sort.

It is not true that any intelligent, conervative person was alarmed at anything in the Chicago platform. Only politicians SIGN POSTS AT THE CROSS ROADS. and their corrupt prompters pretended to The result of the recent election in the see anything unpatriotic in it. The gold-State of Kansas affords much concern standard cause seemed desperate, and standard cause seemed desperate, and nothing was left undone to deceive the

Mr. Cleveland has been the good friend and associate of millionaires, and he will retire from the White House a millionaire. the coming storm. We declared also that the result in Nebraska was no less sig. in the welfare of masses struggling for

mere existence. The Signal Service has begun the win-ter with an accurate prediction for St. Louis. We should have one every week during the season, even if the departr should have to employ a trustworthy citi en with a reliable rheumatism and a ful set of corns.

It is pleasing to see that Boston is fol-It is pleasing to see that Boston the St. I louis in experiments for the owing St. I louis in experiments for the relief of the blind through the X-ray. If Republic had influence. The above sent can't be written in the present tense.

Valley metropolis, we shall be glad to

ave her cultured company. The Secretary of State of Ohio, to oblig Mr. McKinley, has treated the Bryan and Watson votes as cast for a third ticket. It is no credit to any State official to cool up a bogus plurality for his party, and it does not help the party.

A great and substantial circulation, such as that of the Post-Dispatch, ought to come to every daily journal, but it does not because it is not deserved. The Post-Dispatch has well earned its place in the van of journalism

The Judge or the Prosecuting Attorney who desires to set oriminals free or mak the punishment of crime lighter will never lack technicalities or the sophistry necessary to defend his abuse of his high office Mr. McKinley will be grieved to learn East, the largest carpet plant in New

The President now has four house retain the White House

When it comes to legislation for the half-backs, quarter-backs and whatever other backs there may be in football, we shall see how much spine there is in our eforming statesmen.

The progressive woman is likely to add to Dr. Parkhurst's remarks that if men were held to as strict an accountability as are women, his conjugal figures would be greatly reduced.

The great circulation of the Post-Dispatch, which so much surpasses that of any of its local contemporaries, puts Christmas advertisers en rapport with innumerable buyers.

The London Times sees reason for the intervention of the United States in Cuba, and perhaps Mr. Cleveland has been waiting to see what the Times would say. Cold weather will not be unwelcom the West End this winter. The congela-

tion of West End mud is a blessing which can only come with a cold season. There is to be a present of two brown horses to Mr. McKinley, but the new President doubtless prefers his high tar-iff hobby to anything that has life.

Instead of buying battleships, Spain hould educate her people in a higher ivilization than she has shown in dealing with her colonies. If out of thirteen highway robbers in-

dicted, eight are women, any hope of suppressing the new woman may as well be The most reliable holiday advertisers

The discovery that beer bottles can be made of refuse glass may help to lighten the burden of the proposed beer tax.

Mr. McKinley is seducing Reed's man, Lodge. Nobody can afford to wait four or eight years for Mr. Reed!

Weyler is death to crops and non-combatants. With no other foes, his marches are continuous triumphs. Editor Russell seems already to hear

the "invincible tread" of Ev. Murphy, the new Sergeant-at-Arms. There is a gain of nearly 25 per cent in the vote of Missouri. What is better yet,

she voted right. Weyler is an Alva without Alva's mili-

First Blood of the Revolution.

om the New York Journal greatgrandmother of his wife's third cousin services. which have been rewarded with was born in the town wherein he delivers the cross. his harangue, Mr. Depew cast about for something pleasing to the local pride of his School Board, says in answer to some as half. Not at Lexington, he asserted, but at that the women in that body do not trans-Westminster, now in the State of Vermont, was the first patriot blood of the revolution followers, incapable of argument or op-

shed. This was in 1774. But perhaps history will in its turn correct Orator Depew. The blood shed in the Boshesitate to oppose the suggestions of the ton massacre in 1770 is generally esteemed to have been the blood of patriots. In 1771 the farmers of North Carolina, "goaded," Professor John Fiske writes, "by repeated acts of extortion and of unlawful imprison ment, rose in rebellion" against the British Colonial Governor. Two hundred of the insurgents were killed in battle and six were hanged for treason. Revolution seldom springs suddenly into being, and, though remote, this pitched battle on the Cape Depew's skirmish at Westminster.

Beflections of a Bachelor. om the New York Press.

Why is it when women sleep together they always spend half the night talking about their husbands? When a man tells other men about his iaded, matter-of-fact tone.

A woman never sees a fussy little wadded net cap for a baby without wanting to her face down in it. A man can never understand the feeling

woman has, that she is not undressed so long as she has her stockings on. The worst tempered woman in the world tries her best to look angelic when she has her ploture taken with a baby in her lap. A woman can never quite understand what is going to become of her husband when they get to heaven if there is no suol

thing as marriage there. The average man spends the first six nths after his marriage wondering why he didn't do it sooner, and the next six ndering why he did it at ail.

Our Beautiful Language.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer. is a great country."

with a great language. I heard one ma 'eay of another that the only 'make him dry up was to soak him."

Not So Now. From the Lexington (Mo.) Intelligencer.
There has been a time when the St. Lou
Republic had influence. The above senten IN THE PUBLIC EYE.



MICHAEL MUNKACZY. The famous Hungarian artist has been stricken by paralysis and will never work again. He is fifty years old and began life as a carpenter. Perhaps his greatest painting was "Christ Before Pilate," which was bought by John Wanamaker of Philadel phia. Others of his celebrated works wer "Ecce Homo," Last Days of a Condemne Prisoner," "Christ on Calvary" and "The

MEN OF MARK.

Last Moments of Mozart."

Samuel Smiles, the author of "Sel Help" and other well-known books for boys and young men, is now over 80-year old. He is living quietly at his suburbar home near London, writing a little now and then, and looking after his literary

President Britlin of the New Orleans City council has directed the Committee of Budget and Assessment to transfer the amount of his salary, \$6,000, to the contingent fund, as he does not intend to ac-cept any money consideration for his of-ficial services.

King Oscar of Sweden, after writing sev eral volumes of poems over the pseudonym "O: Frederick," has written "A Romance of the Times of Bernadotte and Napoleon, a novel based on the life of his grand mother, Queen Desiree, who was jilted by Napoleon and afterward was the wife of Bernadotte, who became King of Sweden.

Stephen W. Dorsey, the man wife once out the State of Arkansas in his carpet bag, and who posed in the Senate as one who made and unmade Presidents, is now in San Francisco, trying to win from min- changed by the circumstance that Demong ventures a fortune to replace that which he lost when the star routes, along it is made manifest that the Republican slough of disgrace and disaster.

A committee of representative Irishme has been appointed to suggest the proper way in which to observe the centenary of the tariff is inevitable, and that it will be the death of Edmund Burke. One of the remodeled strictly on Republican lines. That suggestions made is that in connection with the celebration a course of lectures on Burke should be delivered early next us is highly improbable. The Republican spring, by Mr. Lecky, M. P. It is pracparty wants towering duties and will have Burke's native city, will not allow the occa-sion to pass without a fitting celebration.

WOMEN OF NOIE.

The late Mrs. Hicks-Lord was a remarkable person. She was Amazonian in pro-portion, but nevertheless had a great many eminine charms and could keep a dozen nen interested and at her beck and call.

The Countess of Annersley, one of England's beauties is a famous botanist and has a rare collection of plants in her gardens, were he so inclined, which William Mo which she has collected during her travels She is also a fine musician and perform with ease on many instruments.

Miss Phoebe Hood is an Indian maider the daughter of a Pawnee chief, and has be come a trained nurse. So has Miss Lily Wind of Canada, who is of the Ottawa tribe, and Miss Kate Greenod of the Wyandottes. These young Indian girls took the course in Philadelphia and are considered good nurses.

The Cross of the Legion of Honor ha been bestowed on many men, scientists Mr. Depew, we are told, has taken to women. Rosa Bonheur was the first to olitican who usually discovers that the army in the field and rendered valuable Mrs. Maitland, a member of the London

auditors. He corrected history in their be- sertions made by the Nineteenth Century form their male associates into humble position. On the contrary, it has been her hesitate to oppose the suggestions of the women when they see fit

BRIGHT BITS.

Teacher: How old are you, Willie? Wil ie: I'm five at home, six at school and fou n the cars.-Washington Times.

Professor: Now, Sprockets, give me some mythological god, with a bicycle stoop, and

Della Ware: Do you believe in the bibligoing to strike me?-Buffalo Times. Editor: Mr. Faber, in speaking of the

to say, "We trust their married life may approaching marriage, he tries to use a be interrupted only by little spatts?"-Buffalo Times.

> Lawyer (after hearing her story): what you say, madam, your husband must consult another lawyer. I came here to get a divorce, sir-not to hear my husband ed!-Puck. GETTING INTO FORM.



Willie Everwork: Great day, Weary Weary N. Worne: Don't say a word, Dal's only Raggles. He's goin' to strike dem Anglermaniacs up on de hill, so his passin' hisself off fer English!

Ridiculous Mr. Francis.

From the Lexington (Mo.) Intelligencer.

A little group of Cleveland Democrats, such as Major Warner, Gardner Lathrop and others, held a panquet at Kansas City Wednesday evening to ratify the election of McKinley. They invited Dave Francis of loke Smith's old cast-off shoes to be presnt. Dave was sorry he could not be there, ie was sorry that the result in Missouri cast a gloom over the banquet. He said cast a gloom over the ball Dave said. He closed his letter with a sentence that, coming from Francis, gives it the tinge of the ridiculous. Dave, who used to be called "our Dave" here in Missouri, closed his epistle to the boys with this semence: epistle to the boys with this serience:
"If some legislation is not enacted to check the growing influence of wealth and to circumscribe the powers of the trusts and monopolies, there will be an uprising of the people before the close of the century which will endanger our very institutions."

Just think of it. Dave Francis writing about "trusts and monopolies" to a crowd of his fellow henchmen. After going over to them body and soul for a winter's season in the social swim at Washington, and doing all in his power to perpetuate their influence, he forgets himself and his masters so far as to lift the voice of warning.

By writing this sentence Dave Franci demonstrates a degree of ingratitude that is amazing. He repudiated his people who had honored him for the influence of the trusts and monopolies, and now he tries to drive a nail in the coffin of the trusts and nonopolies. Ingratitude it is indeed for Davy to go back on the "trusts and mo They have made Davy a cabin member. True, what Dave says is true, and the people realize it, but just why he, who has been their chief aider and abettor in Missouri, who has assisted to give the trusts their influence, should now attempt to stab them is beyond the conception of the

ordinary man. Davy ought to quit writing letters like that. If he don't, the first thing he knows he will be repudiated by his eminent Demo cratic friends like Warner and Lachrop, and be fired from G. Cleveland's cabinet. Davy has been hired to stick to his crowd, and he ought not to go back on it now that the trusts and syndicates are in power for four

It Was a Republican Victory.

rom the New York Journal. Cries of anticipatory agony are going up from the once Democratic newspapers which joined and led the bolters. The discovery has been made that Major McKinley is not cratic votes have elected him President, and which he galloped so swiftly, ended in a party is the same in spirit as it was before it had the good luck to profit by the acces sion of deserters from the Democracy. It is becoming obvious that a remodeling o the changes will stop until the tariff has been brought back to the old McKinley stat. them, notwithstanding the wishes of the Democratic bolters. Hundreds of thousands of Republicans in the West were prevented from voting for Bryan and free silver by the promise that McKinley's election would mean the restoration of the McKinley tariff. The President-elect will not sacrifice the support of these stout party men in order to win the applause of self-announced Demo crats who, though they abhor free silver, favor free trade. As a plain matter of po litical fact, he could not afford to do it, ever

THOUGHTFUL

Kinley, protectionist, is not.



ecount of Atlas. Sprockets: He was a public debt during his last year in office. the originator of the ball bearing.-Woman plus revenue available. The avowed purpose of the McKinley tariff act was to re duce the revenue, and it was so successful al admonition of giving a kiss for a blow, in that way that the surplus sank to prac-Mr. Westside? Westside: Well-er-that tically nothing in Harrison's last year, and depends, Miss Ware. How hard are you that, too, when the business of the country was in a flourishing condition. So, even accepting the absurd supposition that busiwedding of Mr. and Mrs. Spatts you may ness depression would have been warded off say something graceful with the congratula-entirely by Harrison's re-election, nothing is tions. New Reporter: How would it do clearer than that debt payments would have had to be suspended throughout the pas

How Can Massachusetts Escape? From the Boston Post.

be a brute! Fair Applicant (bridling): You This seems to be plain enough, but its need go no further with the case, sir! I will application in the manner proposed is not so simple. Massachusetts, as well as Mississippi, denies the right of suffrage to "male inhabitants 21 years of age" cannot read; until within a few years it denied this right to all who did not pay a specified tax. If South Carolina is to be punished for exacting an educational qualification from her voters, how can Massa

Got It in Cash. From the Washington Post.

Bourke Cockran again takes the floor to mnounce that he doesn't want anything at the hands of the McKinley Administration. It has generally been understood that Mr. Cockran got what he wanted some time ago

The Absurd Bolters.

From the Washington Post.

The Democrats who boiled this year now engaged in making a specialty of trus busting. It is an innocent amusement, an will not give the trusts any considerable in THE THEATERS.

Chevalier reminds one of many great actors, and many eminent specialty performers. This is because his intelligence and his muscles have the harmony of purpose that is a necessarily fundamental feature of good stage work. When his brain suggests an emotion his entire muscular organization responds. Face, hands, feet, legs and body move in concordance with his words. He has the perfect control of himself physically that enables a man to depict character consistently and accurately. It is this that makes him such an artist as no student of stage work can afford to miss seeing. Whether his portrayal of the original or not, it is certainly in teresting—interesting because it is a study of a type, and because it is done by a man who is really eminent in his line. At the Century last night he appeared in four numbers—"The Future Mrs. 'Awkins," "My Old Dutch," "Wots the Good of Hanyfink? Why Nufflink," and "Bine Ribbon Jane." The audience gave him close and respectful attention, and the applause was discriminating. The entertainment as a whole is very much after the style of the London

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

On the within list you will find afteen names which you will please have placed upon your subscription book for the Post-Dispatch, and accept accompanying check as their contribution for one year to the paper whose editor is rapidly winning a their contribution of one year to the paper whose editor is rapidly winning at all to judge of the great work which he has been and is still doing in their behalf.

The inclosed letter from "A Friend to Silver," who resides in St. Louis, was received by yestertay's post. Doubless there are many thousands here in the city who entertain the same opinions he expresses, and for his and their encouragement I think it can be truly said that the people of Missouri generally, and in fact all over the west and South, are closely scruting the actions of certain St. Louis business houses, as their patronage in the future of the louis of the lation of the lation of certain Chevaller reminds one of many great ful attention, and the applause was discriminating. The entertainment as a whole is very much after the style of the London concert. The stage furniture consists of the discriminating of the style of the London concert. The stage furniture consists of the discriminating of the style of the London of the discriminating of the proposition is not so the reality seems to be from London. The other clause of the proposition is not so palpable. A piano solo comes next, and after that Chevalier. Following the star's first number Charles Bertram does a very clever bit of parlor magic. His tricks are not new, but he is entertaining. Mr. Chevalier comes on again, and there is an intermission of ten minutes. In the second thalf of the programme the Abbott sisters it. It will only cost a penny or two to sow the

intermission of ten minutes. In the second half of the programme the Abbott sisters and two male entertainers alternate with Chevalier.

The thousand or more people at the Standard last night were interested in the question: is Bingham a ventriloquist? If the man is genuine, he is a marvel; if not he is an ordinary faker. He appears with four dummies that are seated on a sofa facing the audience. One is a street arab, one a countryman, one an old Istate. "A little leaven leavens the whole lump." It will only cost a penny or two to sow the seed—Fost-Dispatch—In spots all over these States, and we all know now what a crop of Bryan fruit it radsed in Missouri. There is just as good ground elsewhere and two years from now we all want to see a full harvest of Bryan Representatives ready to make his wis in 1900 for Bryan to sign und execute.

Let us all join hands in practical thanks to Col. Jones by putting the shews of war in his hands. As we thank him in this way, we help ourselves.

Carthage, Mo., Nov. 27.

Corthage, Mo., Nov. 27.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: one a negro. Bingham stands behind the sofa. The quartette sing a variety of fair songs, each in different voice, and tell a variety of jokes not so fair. The transitions from tone to tone and dialect to dialect are wonderful, supposing that one throat and tongue accomplish them. It may be remarked that there is ample room behind the sofa to secrete a half dozen persons. Bingham does an imitation of a phonograph that is very clever. The show is called Gus Hill's Novelties and is strictly vaudeville.

"The Defaulter," now running at Havlin's is an interesting melodrama. The company is capable and some clever specialties are introduced. Blanche Hall, the soubrette, is a St. Louis girl.

The principal vaudeville feature at Hopkins' this week is a sketch by Frederick Hallen and his buxom wife, Molly Fuller.

It is a clever though purposeless skit. The stock company is playing "The Black Flag."

An extra performance of "The Nancy Hanks" was given at the Fourteenth Street Theater last night.

The individual who manufactured "A Booming Town" displayed excellent regard for his general reputation when he kept his mame off the programme. It would have been just as well had the actors followed suit. This alleged laughable comedy was

been just as well had the actors followed suit. This alleged laughable comedy was suit. This alleged laughable comedy was presented yesterday at the Hagan to two large audiences. There may have been one or two people who enjoyed it, but it is doubtful. If they did they were afraid to say so. A great deal may be excused in hard times and cold weather, but "A Booming Town" crowds the limit. It is really about the worst thing that ever came to St. Louis and that is saying a good deal, Eyery man in it thinks he is a comedian, and every one of them is mistaken. Their principal endeavor seems to be to remind the audience of some one else who has made them laugh. One man imitates John-batch. made them laugh. One man imitates Johnny Burke, another one Happy Ward, anothr one J. W. Kelly, and so on. The resemlances are just close enough to make one feel tired. The gags have all been heard many times before. There is not a new song nor a new line, nor a new dance, nor a

better than the men. Manager Hagan is very busy with the arrangements for the transformation of his theater into a continuous show house. He now has his first week's bill complete. He says that it is particularly clean and that he intends taking care all season that nothing shall be permitted which will offend women and children. The star of his opening week will be little Gertie Cochran, the child with the marvelous memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective as memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective as memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective as memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective as memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective as memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective as memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective as memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective as memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of standard money and the restoration of the McKinley protective as memory. The child with the marvelous memory. She has been seen here, and the amount of the McKinley protective Manager Hagan is very busy with the ar-Louis favorite, in a sketch. Among the others are the Pantser trio, high kickers; Wood and Shepherd in a musical specialty, and the O'Brien Brothers, acrobats. The regular Hagan Orchestra will furnish the music. The first performance will be given next Monday.

NOT UP TO DATE.

She isn't very witty, she isn't very wise;
But when a girl has dimples, and bits of
heaven for eyes.
And hair like sunshine gleaming, and voice
both sweet and low,
A little bit of nothing is all she needs to
know.

She does not talk of X rays or Venesuelas Of Jewish persecution or of the after life, of massacres in China, inhabitants of Of Mars;
Mars;
And she adores light vaudeville, not operatic stars.

She has no wish for suffrage, of tyrant man no fear;
She never wrote a novel, a poem or a And she prefers a bonnet to laurel leaves or bay. She's never heard of microbes, bacteria and the like;
Of sociologic questions—why laborers have to strike;
Why some have all the complete the strike; Why some have all the money and some have all the work;

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

To Friends of Liberty.

their setters to the patch.

There is no use asking the editor names of non-advertisers, as to give the would be a direct invitation to boycott the which is against the principle of the edit who is being boycotted because he refut to sell his opinion.

A. A. St. Louis, Nov. 28.

new idea. The piece is a poor patchwork of other people's work presented by a company with no talent. The women are no your editorial in yesterday's Post-Dispatch under the caption, "Give Them Rope." The

The Rush to the Cities.

towns where they have hitherto in it is not fair so charge up ha ness, etc., to the immense butures in St. Louis. It is equal expect a manufacturing plant, e

BLOWING UP

HOW IT S DONE IN CUBA WITH DYNAMITE.

EDIS 2N TALKS ABOUT IT.

A Simple Matter to Sow a Field With the Stuff and Destroy an Army.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Thomas A. Edison has found time to analyze the Cuban situation, and has shown that he has kept in touch with the inside history of that struggle. He says that Weyler's chances

"Maceo has tons of dynamite and a score the explosive to the very best advantage, he said in his laboratory at Orange, N. J. "As long as Maceo makes proper use of his supply of dynamite, he will remain master

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SENATOR FRYE'S HOPE.

Does Not Count on the Senate, but on Cleveland.

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"Wherein, then, lies your hope?"
"In President Cleveland," said Senator Frye earnestly. "His patriotism is beyond question. I hope, nay, expect, to see him go out of office in a blase of glory because of a righteous act in behalf of liberty. He has the power in his hands. He has shown courage on several occasions, and I say frankly that I expect something splendid from him yet. He will act in an emphatic way."

THE TIMES ADMITS IT.

Probability of Intervention by the United States in Cuba.

pecial to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The Herald has NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The Heraid has the following by cable from London:

The Times will to-morrow print a leader treating of the situation in Cuba. It says that owing to the incapacity of her Generals there is no prospect whatever of Spain winning in the struggle in the island, Moreover, Spain's resources are itrained to the utmost, and it will be difficult for her purse to bear much longer the demands upon it.

clusion the Times says: "We can lude the probability of intervention United States."

Be sure and use Mrs. Winslow's Boiler Explosion Kills Four Persons PARIS, Nov. 20.—Four persons were killed suterday at Nanterre as the result of a olier explosion in a carbon factory. The lames does sessuint to 100,000,

SANTA FE HEARING

To Be Reargued, Judge Thayer Sitting With Judge Foster.

TOPEKA, Kas., Nov. 30.—In the Santa Fe receivership case in the United States District Court to determine whether the District Court of Jefferson County or the Federal Court shall have jurisdiction, Judge Foster to-day announced that the matter will be reargued to-morrow, and that Judge Thayer of the Circuit Court of Appeals of Thayer of the Citical Court Court of Appeals of St. Louis will sit with him. Judge Foster. The latter said that as a decision involves not only the Santa Fe Company, but a question of conflict between State and Federal Courts, he believed the matter could not be too carefully considered.

THE MYSTERIES OF ANTIQUITY

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Minnesota's Official Vote.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 30.—Following is the official vote for Minnesota: McKinley, 193,501; Bryan, 139,626; Palmer, 3,202; Lever-ing, 4,34; Matchett, 867; McKinley's plural-ity, 53,876.

THE CURSE

Of mankind—contagious blood poison—claimed as its victim Mr. Frank B. Martin, 926 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C., and the usual physician's treatment did him not the slightest good. His condition reached that deplorable stage which only this terrible dis-

THE CURE

After all else failed, was at last found in S. S. S.—the greatest of all blood remedies. Eighteen bottles removed the disease permanently, and left his akin without a blamich.

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NEWS FROM

JAPAN HAS NO SUZERAINTY OVER COREA.

AMERICAN POWER SUPREME

Japan Bending Her Energies to Rail road and Steamship Building and Manufacturing.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 30,-R. W. Irwin, who has been in Japan for thirty years and has represented the Hawaiian Government there, first as Consul and afterward as Minister, during the greater part of that time, arrived from the Orien on the steamer Doric yesterday. He said "The statement that Russia has estab-lished a suzerainty over Corea is incorrect, although the fact that the King i oused in the Russian Legation might lend

rect, although the fact that the King is housed in the Russian Legation might lend credence to that supposition. Japan's ambition does not extend to Corea. American influence is uppermost in the kingdom, and I am credibly informed that the King is acting entirely under the advice of three Americans. Minister Sill, the Secretary of the American Legation and an American missionary by the name of Underwood." Irwin says that Japan's sole ambition now is commercial and industrial advancement. The Government is encouraging the construction, operation and maintenance of railroad and steamship lines and manufacturing industries. He declares, however, that a false impression has been gained of the extent and importance of the steamship subsidies recently offered. "The subsidies offered are entirely inadequate for the purpose of maintaining a powerful line of transpacific steamers," he declared. "The Nippen Yuzen Kaisas, which has undertaken to run a line of ships between Japan and Seattle, will think better of the project before two or three years are passed, and the company, which is headed by S. Asano, will, in my honest opinion, never materialize, It will be many years before San Diego is the terminus of any Japanese transpacific steamship line that Asano or any other Japanese capitalist or corporation may establish, Asano's undertaking is largely a myth.

"Just now the trans-Siberian railroad is attracting considerable attention in the Orient. I believe that in three years the trans-Siberian railroad will be completed to Vladivostock and to a port on the Yang-Tse River, probably Hankow. It stands to reason that the road will the China if it wants to get business. Its terminus will not be an open port in Corea. It will be a port on the Yang-Tse River, the tea market of the world. Russia will build from the Mongolian frontier to Pekin with French capital, and China will build from the Promosa, and the Japanese there are dying in large numbers.

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The North China Daily News prints what is alleged to be the text of a new treaty between China and Russia. By the terms of the treaty, Russia is to be allowed to build a railroad through Manchuria, and is to be given for fifteen years the port of Klashom, in the Province of Shan Tung, for a winter port. Russia is to fortify Port Arthur and Tailen-Wan, and in case of war with other nations is to have the use of with other nations is to have the use of era is prevalent in Tokio, and apwith other nations is to have the use of these ports. Russia will furnish officers fo the instruction of the Chinese.

HUSBAND POISONED.

Yokohama.

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To make it apparent to thousands who think themselves ill, that they are not af-flicted with any disease, but that the system simply needs cleansing, is to bring com-fort home to their hearts, as a costive con-dition is easily cured by using Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all druggists.

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CORBETT SAYS HE WILL NOT HURT FITZSIMMONS.

THEIR ART IS A SCIENCE. The Usual Amount of Talking Being

Fights in Frisco-Sporting. NEW YORK, Nov. 30 .- James J. Corbett The Wife Arrested and Put on Trial at asked about the decision rendered by District Attorney Backus of Brooklyn, who says that the proposed boxing match between Corbett and Fitzsimmons cannot be held at the Greater New York Athletic

Done by the Champion-Several

Club on Coney Island.

"Of course," said Corbett, "the law is on our side. There is no law on the statute books which forbids boxing, and particularly scientific boxing. You cannot make a distinction between us and let men like Disam and Erne have it out. I say it is to the interests of boxing to bring two such scientific men as Fitzsimmons and myself together. If we should ever fight, it will be seen then that there is less brutality when two such scientific men as we are come together in the ring. If we could get Dr. Parkhurst and Commissioner Roosevelt Work. Lost. Points.

League yesterday afternoon. The results of games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the B. M. Estabrook. Sc. Cost. Sc. Of the St. My Old Kentucky Home Sc. Poster.

The St. Teresas played the Cycling Club at Sportsman's Park before about 500 people. The stamps or silver, send one or two-cent postage stamps or stamps or silver, send one or two-cent postage stamps or stamps or stamps or silver, send one or two-cent postage stamps or stamp Club on Coney Island.
"Of course," said Corbett, "the law is on our side. There is no law on the statute occupying a good social position, and Secretary of the Yokohama United Club, who was married to a woman of substantial income, was taken iil Oct. 15. and died Oct. 22. A Coroner's inquest was heid, and it was discovered that he had been poisoned. The evidence showed that Mrs. Carew, just before his illness, and after he was sick, had purchased arsenic in such quantities as to alarm the druggist. She said she wanted it for malarial fever. Carew's wife told a long story of a woman in black, but the police could find no an in black but the police could find no an in black, but the police could find no an in black but the black is the black is the books which forbids boxing. The books which forbids boxing. The books which forbids boxing, and particularly scientific boxing. You cannot make a distinction between us and let men like books which forbids boxing. You cannot make a distinction between us and let men like books which forbids boxing. The books which forbids boxing, and particul

carew's wife told a long story of a woman in black, but the police could find no trace of her, and the Coroner's Jury brought in a verdict that Mr. Carew died from the effects of arsenic poisoning, but by whom the poison was administered there was no evidence to show. Mrs. Carew was then arrested, and charged with the murder of her husband, but was later released on bail. Her trial was in progress when the steamer left.

CHILDREN SOLD TO SLAVERY.

Diabolical Traffic Reported Prevalent in Manchuria.

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TACOMA, wash. They have make a move. We have not received make a move. We have not received make a move. We have been wiring to him time and again, but cannot receive an answer from him. It is all in Fitzsimmons to make a move. We have been wiring thim and they, too, have met with the same success as I have to hear from him.

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Speaking about the ten round "go" between Tom Sharkey and Fitzsimmons, which takes place in San Francisco next week, Corbett, said he looked for Fitzsimmons to whip Sharkey.

"He will whip him in very short order," said Corbett, "unless Sharkey uses his foul tactics and wrestles as he used on me.

"I think they will stop him. Fitzsimmons ought to win."

The result has been to revive the ancient custom of selling their children to slave brokers.

Girls are principally in demand, and there is no doubt that many of them are purchased for immoral purposes. In the original purchases these pittable little creatures, from 5 to 12 years of age, are sold for sums equivalent to one or two shillings each. By the brokers they are sold for from four to eight shillings. The terrible experiences that befall the children at the hands of the traders cause them to live in intense dread of their owners, so that whenever they are disobedient the threat whenever they are disobedient the threat that they will be handed back to the brokers is sufficient to render them entirely docile. Slave brokers in Manchuria thus appear in the form of ogres to wretched and destitute boys and girls.

The money which the farmers receive for their children is spent for food or seed grain. The children are taken off to towns, where scores are collected and trained to sing and dance. The prettiest girls are singled out for lives of shame, and are taken in small parties to seaport cities of China, where vigorous efforts are made to keep secret the nefarious traffic.

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Artillery Practice at Pensacola.

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At St. James Hotel, one hundred rooms for the winter, more comfortable and cheaper than boarding in West End. Save car fare and noon lunch.

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Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 30.—The Secretary of State to-day issued a certificate of incorporations, 3. 2. Special, 3,600; and 0. L. Shane.

spiration it measures 44 inches. The only defect in Fitzsimmons was a slight attack of cold in the head, which will quickly wear off. Sharkey's normal chest measurement proved to be 41 inches. With forced exhalation it was 394 inches, and with forced inspiration 44 inches. PUGILISM REVIVING.

Several Merry Bouts to Be Fought in California. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 30.-Tonight Tom Tracey, the clever Australian velterweight, will meet Jimmy Ryan of westerweight, with meet Jimmy Ryan of Cincinnati in a ten-round contest under the direction of the Golden West Athletic Club. There will also be a six-round go between Jack Stelzner, Fitzsimmons' boxing partner, and Tom Johnson, and the same number of rounds between Charley Rochette and H. Butler, at 140 pounds.

ASSOCIATION FOOT BALL.

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There were three good games of Association foot ball between the six clubs in the League yesterday afternoon. The results games the the Division of the League yesterday afternoon. The results games the the Division of the League yesterday afternoon. League yesterday afternoon. The results of games tie the Diels and St. Teresas for the

The largest crowd of the three days was yesterday, and numbered about 200 people. The owners and fanciers were out, as usual, taking an absorbing interest in the work of the fleet footed dogs.

Eugene Naily's White Diamond won the honors of the day against all competitors, some of whom were of the best to be found in the country.

The match race between Bradbury's Dakota and A. P. Slocum's Fair Helen for \$100 a side resulted in an easy victory for Dakota, who ran a great course. He was in splendid condition and furnished the spectators with a glorious exhibition of the sport.

The final results of the regular series was as follows:

as follows:

Eleanor defeated Pearl.

White Diamond defeated Patria.
Glenrosa defeated Sylvia.

Pretender ran a bye with Diana.

Semi-finals:
White Diamond defeated Eleanor.
Glen Rosa defeated Pretender.
Final:

Coney Island. I only signed after some very together, and I only signed after some very influential men gave it as their opinion that we could box.

"However, I have every hope of meeting Fitzsimmons in this vicinity. Why, I was offered a \$27,000 purse to-night to box Fitzsimmons on Broadway, and later had an increased offer from another organization. This shows that there are some people who believe we can box in this city, and why shouldn't we? We are not sluggers, and our contest could not degenerate into a brutal contest."

BOB AND TOM.

The Two Fighters at Frisco Getting in Shape for Wednesday's Battle.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 30.—Yesterday was doctors' day at the quarters of Fitzsimmons and Sharkey. The same physician waited upon both men, and he was Morello Is Dead.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 30.—The once king of the turf, Morello, died yested day morning at the Rees ranch in Controsta County. The Futurity and Chicas Derby winner has for over thirteen week been suffering from paralysis, and, althoug the ablest of veterinarians did their utmost to save him, their labors were for naugh in his best days Morello was valued at over 100,000. His sire was the great stallior Corise.

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Next Sunday Matines—MURRY AND MACK.

skating will be excellent. In many placthe ice is thick enough to bear an ordinacrowd, but is not heavy enough to standrush, so no one is allowed to go on until is absolutely safe and sure. Portsman Western Rowing Club Hop.

The Western Rowing Club gave a ver-successful and enjoyable entertainment las night at the Concordia Hall. The mem bers of the club are all well known an popular, especially in the South Bide, an had a host of frinceis who attended. Ther-was a select programme of variety an vaudeville given which was followed by dance and a supper.

DESCRIBED HIS AGONIES.

Took Poison and Then Made Notes His Dying Sensations. CHICAGO, Nov. 30 -A man suppo be E. L. Bryan of Pittsburg, Pa. suicide resterday in the Kimball House by taking laudunum. While awaiting death he describing minutely his death agonies. He also left two other letters, both written in a semi-humorous vein, apologizing to the hotel keeeper and to the authorities for kill-ing himself.

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DELAWARE CONVENTIO

Another Effort to Form a Ne stitution. WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 36 .- A tion will be held in Dover, the capt Tuesday, for the purpose of framin constitution for the State of Delaws convention will be composed of Democrats and eleven Republica present constitution was adopted in

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ELECTRICIAN—Wanted, situation by young man electrician, gun and locksmith; can do anything work guaranteed. Ad. S. L., 3414 Park. FIREMAN—Wanted, situation by a young German from the country as fireman. Ad. T 116, this MECHANIC-A good, all-around mechanic and accountant wants position; good references, Ad. H 185, this office.

MAN-A young German would like position of sor kind. 2744 Lucas av. MAN-Young man with borse and wagon wants po-sition with some firm for delivery purposes. Ad. K 134, this office.

MAN—A colored man wishes a situation as house man, porter or waiter; can give first-class city references. 1406 Linden st.

SALESMAN—Wanted, situation as city salesman b man of 24, well versed in drug business. W. B. P. O. Box 556.

WATCHMAN-Wanted, by middle-aged married man, speaking English and German, position a watchman or collector. Ad. F 119, this office. YOUNG MAN-A young man, 31 years of age would like to have work of some kind; willing to do anything; strictly temperate; best of ref greences. Ad. M 133, this office. \$10.00 UP-Suits and overcoats to order. ritx Tailoring Co., 8th and Olive.

\$2.50 UP-Pants to order. Mesritz Tailoring Co., 219 N. 8th, cor. Olive, 2d floor.

HELP WANTED-MALE.

14 words or less, 10c. BOY WANTFD-Good boy about 17 to work store: must have good references. Call at N. Jefferson av.

treatment for all private, blood and recta-

MAN WANTED—Colored man to take care horses and cows. 1451 Old Manchester rd. MAN AND WIFE WANTED—On suburban dai furm, experienced man and wife, with reference Ad. D 127, this office.

MEN WANTED—To learn barber trade; stead situations furnished after 8 weeks' practice everything furnished; call or write for cate lague. Moler's Barber College, 819 N. 91h st. SHOVELERS WANTED-On 12th and Soula James Carroll. SHOE STICKER WANTED—At 2335 Franklin av to-morrow morning at 7 o'clock. RALESMAN WANTED-Experienced salesm Rombotic Tailoring Co., 619 Franklin av.

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SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALE OOK-Wanted, situation by first-class cook; objections to washing. 2915 Benton st.

OOK-Wanted, a situation by a colored women as cook and to do housework in private family Call or write Mrs. M., 1615 N. 18th st. COOK-Good girl wishes situation to do cooking or housework. Ad. L Wright, 23021/2 Franklis av., 3d floor.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by good, strongirl 16 years old to assist in housework. Call a 1808 Wash st., downstairs. IOUSEGIRL-Wanted, situation as housegirl; ca give references. Ad. T 120, this office. HOUSEGIRL-Respectable girl would like a pla-us housegirl. Ad. B 134, this office. HOUSEGIRL-Girl wants place to do gene housework. Call at 1424 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by young Germi lady to do general housework. 1432 N. 15th st. HOUSEGIRL-Wanted, situation by girl for ge eral housework. 3715 Lucky st. HOUSEGIRL-Wanted, sit. by girl to do genera housework; best city references. Oall or addres 3725 Leopold av. LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by colored girl to go out by the day or take home washing. 82 S. 22d st.

LAUNDRESS-Wanted, laundry work, out by the day. 1207 Walton av. AUNDRESSES—Washing wanted by 2 good white women; go out by the day, or any kind of work 824 Salisbury st.

Evans av.

NURSE-Wanted, situation as nurse or assistan cook or to do light housework; no washing. 101 N. 13th st. NURSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by experience girl to nurse child or children. Katie Bale 823 Destrehan st. SEAMSTRESS—Lady would like position sewing i dressmaking shop; can give reference. Ad. L 11s this office.

WOMAN-Situation to do general housework by woman; small family. Please call at 1850 Cass TOUNG WOMAN—Wanted, situation by youn woman in furniture store to clean furniture of sew carpets. 927 N. 16th st.

STOVE REPAIRS.

Repairs for stoves and ranges of every descrip on. Jos Forshaw, 111 N. 12th st. HELP WANTED-FEMALE.

COOK WANTED—Neat girl to cook; must be good cook; small family. 4421 Laclede. OOK WANTED-A good cook, German or Swede in private family. 4261 Washington boul.

COOK WANTED-White cook; must speak English and German. 2020 Market st. FINISHERS WANTED-First-class finishers; also good button hands on custom coats. 822 Mor GIRL WANTED-Good girl to cook, wash and iro GIRLS WANTED-Experienced machine girls at learning girls on coats. 1442 N. 15th st. GIRL WANTED—Good colored girl to cook, was OUSEGIRL WANTED-A German girl for ger eral housework; refs: 1523 Carr st. OUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for gener housework; small family; good wages. 410 OUSEGIRL WANTED-Young girl for light OUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for gene work, 1029 Parkland pl. Suburban road Hamilton and Maple avs. BOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl 16 years for ligh bousework; good home. Apply at 3017 Indiana

OUSEGIRL WANTED-A good girl for gene housework. 3674 Cook av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general work; family three adults; no washing. 3124A Bell av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-A girl for general bous

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for house work and cooking; good wages. 4614 Olive st. one block west of Taylor av. IOUNEGIRL WANTED—White girl to do genera housework for small family; no children; no out side work; good home and good wages. 301-Franklir sw HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for house work; German or Swede. 2830 Locust st.

OUSEGIRL WANTED-A competent colored girl for housework. 3329 Morgan st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-City references. 3042 IOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; must be good cook; no washing no ironing nor outside work. 4249 McPherson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for gener work; German preferred; no washing. 3804 De mar av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—At once, neat girl for general housework; must be a good cook; German preferred. 2670 Cabanne pl. LADY WANTED-Young lady to learn photo re touching. 1426 Franklin.

AMERICAN STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 2811 Olive Meving, packing and shipping; storage is separate rooms Tel. 1880. W. H. Langdale, Pres LADIES WANTED-Ladies, steady home employment. Call between 8 and 5 p. m. 1800 Washington av.

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DOG-Lost, black pointer (female) dog; two whit front feet; mother to pup one week old; \$5 rd ward. 126 North Market st. GARRISON AV., 1015A N.—Two large, bright, un furnished rooms, connected; bath; private fam

OVERCOAT—Reward of \$20 for return of over-coat and contents of pockets taken from 17th and Olive sts. Saturday night; no questions asked. J. H. Steedman, 2213 Washington av. COCKETBOOK—Lost, last Saturday, pocketbook containing money and 7 matines tickets for Olympic Dec. 6; finder will be rewarded; numbe of tickets are known. Ad. 3114 Morgan st. MBRELLA-Lost, on Thursday evening between 9:30 and 10 o'clock, slik umbrells with L shape handle tipped with gold, the name Alex writte in leadpenell on stick below handle. Reward freturned to 220 Pine st., A. J. Rogers. WATCH-Lost, lady's watch, on Franklin, be-tween 16th and Jefferson av., Saturday morning. Return to 1510 Wash st., and receive reward.

14 words or less 20 cents. AGENTS WANTED-Agents, solicitors, hustlers to weather strip. Call or write Mayfield, 4218 East ton av.

CANVASSERS. 14 words or less, 20c. CANVASSER WANTED—Canvasser for handling an easy-selling article; can make \$5 daily. 200

OLICITORS WANTED-Advertising solicitors a once. Christopher Conrath Printing Co., 61

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Found. PARCEL-Found, a parcel from St. Louis, Nov. 27 Apply 2609A Madison st.

TO EXCHANGE. HORSE—For exchange, one horse and harness and a one-horse wagon for anything except a bicycle. 4116 N. 2d st.

DANCING. 14 words or less, 20c PROF. J. H. DE HONEY will open a first-class private dancing academy at 2715 Washington av. Dec. 1; tickets will be sold for classes and pri-vate lessons half price opening night; finest ball and best music.

14 words or less, 20c. BUSINESS—Invest \$100 in manufacturing; article necessary; costs \$c, sells \$1. Ad. L 127, this office. INVESTMENT-Wanted, man with \$350; manu facturing; \$100 a month guaranteed. E. Tracy 1812 Franklin av., 2d floor. MERCHANDISE—For sale, \$10,000 worth of general merchandise at 75c on the dollar. Box 81, Carrollton, Mo.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS. 14 words or less, 20c.

SEWING-Lady wishes sewing in exchange for small heater. Ad. T 133, this office.

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ASHTON buys stoves, furniture, carpets, old feat er beds. Send postal. 205 Hagan Opera Buildin FURNITURE, sewing machines, carpets, stove cash or time. Eagle Loan Co., 1238 Franklin. FURNITURE—For sale, bedroom set, \$3; parlo set, \$3; Singer machine, \$3; dresser, \$2; pic HIGHEST cash prices paid for furniture, car-pets, stoves, feather beds. Wolf, 1010 Walnut st.

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ROOMS FOR RENT.

BROADWAY, 513 S.—Nice, clean fur. rooms, for or 2 gents, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per week, with ever ing fire. BROADWAY, 1546 N.—Nicely furnished rooms housekeeping, \$1.50 week; hall-room, 75c week. CAROLINE ST., 2651-Room furnished for gents light housekeeping; gas, bath, heat; cheap. CHESTNUT ST., 1012-Furnished rooms, suitab for light housekeeping or gents. CHESTNUT ST., 1409-Nicely furnished rooms for gents or housekeeping; \$6 per month. CHESTNUT ST., 3011—Two rooms and porch, firs floor; water free; rent \$8.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1321—2 connecting, complete furnished rooms for light housekeeping; gas, howater and all conveniences; reasonable. FRANKLIN AV., 1244—Nice large furnished room with fire; \$1.25 per week. FINNEY AV., 4127—Nicely furnished room; gas, heat, hot bath; or 2 connecting rooms for house keeping; private family.

HICKORY ST., 3314A-3 nice rooms, first floor, \$8 Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st. ASALLE ST., 2735-4 nice rooms; water paid; is good order; \$12; second floor. CUCAS AV., 2744-Nicely furnished rooms; all front room for two gentlemen. LOCUST ST., 2830—A nicely furnished room for gentleman; gas and fire; \$12 a month. LEFFINGWELL, AV., 1016 N.—One large nicel furnished back parlor; good light; corner house. LOCUST ST., 2612 - Nicely furnished rooms, 2d and 3d floors.

LEONARD AV., 1124 N.-Front parlor for two gents or ladies, furnished or unfurnished; reas onable. MORGAN ST., 2131-Furnished front room follight housekeeping; 1st floor. MARYLAND AV., 4338—Four nicely furnishe rooms, complete for housekeeping; bath, garange and furnace. Call or address. IADISON ST., 2203-For rent, four or five large

OLIVE ST., 3222-Two rooms for light house OLIVE ST., 2333—Second floor front room and back room; gents or housekeeping; hall-room. OLIVE ST., 1524-Front furnished room for light housekeeping or gents. OLIVE ST., 1410-Handsomely furnished 2d-story front and other rooms, with fire and gas. HIO AV., 1307—3 nice rooms, first floor, \$9.50 Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut. OLIVE ST., 1105-Newly furnished rooms fo gentlemen only; terms reasonable; location first

PINE ST., 10171/2 Fine large furnished front rooms, with fire; \$1 per week. COMS—Furnished rooms for sleeping and light housekeeping; \$2 up. Ad. G 137, this office. ST. ANGE AV., 1218-2 gents; back parlor; \$10 per month; hallroom, \$1 week. ASHINGTON AV., 2811—Second-story front and 3 connecting rooms for family or gentlemen. WASHINGTON AV., 1302-Large room, first floo for light housekeeping; hall-rooms, with hea

ROOMS WITH BOARD. CHESTNUT ST., 2907-Finely furnished second story front room, well heated; gas, bath and board. COMPTON AV., 916½ N.—Lady employed cat share room and board with refined widow for \$1-per month. JEFFERSON AV., 213 S.—Nicely furnished rooms, furnace heat, gas and hot bath; with or without board. OCUST ST., 2626-Nicely furnished rooms, with LUCAS AV., 3028-Elegantly furnished rooms; gas; hath: furnace heat: excellent table; terms reasonable. MORGAN ST., 3039—Second-story front; prival family; furnace; hot bath, with board; reference OLIVE ST., 1707-Furnished rooms, with or with out board. MONEY TO LOAN-On furniture and planes; any amount you desire, without removing property from house, money can be paid back in install-ments and save interest; no commission or charges for papers; money given same day ap-plied for. John C. King, Sie Morgan. Bus. pri. REGON AV., 1708-Nicely furnished rooms with or without board. RUTGER ST., 3234 Board with room for two gents or man and wife; terms reasonable. WASHINGTON AV., 3119—Desirable rooms board for gentlemen or gentleman and wife. WASHINGTON AV., 2002-Very nice rooms, with choice board; fine location; prices reduced.

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED. 14 words or less 10c.

ROOM AND BOARD—Wanted, room and board by quiet lady north of Locust st., with widow of elderly lady; no other boarders; with privileges. Ad. H 128, this office.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

14 words or less, 10c. RMSTRONG AV., 1235—8-room house; water paid: \$16. Key 1231. Keeley, 1113 Chestnut st. BENTON ST., 817-Five rooms, in good order; water free; near cars. Rosenbaum, 2407 N. Broadway. OTTAGE AV., 4570—Four-room house; attic; Lindell cars pass the door; cheap. CHESTNUT ST., 2642—Six rooms, bath, laundry, cellar, gas; in perfect repair. M. Dougherty, 1200 Pine st. HOUSE-Six-room, stone-front; gas and bath; goo order; rent low. Apply 1031 S. 12th st. HOUSES-Two houses to rent in the suburbs. See A. T. Marshall, care Missouri Glass Co. MAPLE AV., 6047-An 8-room house, bath and fu RUSSELL AV., 2717-Nice location; large lot; fre to Jan. 1. Rellly, 8061/2 Chestnut st.

FLATS FOR RENT.

WEST BELLE PL., 4248-Furnished or unfurnis

BLAIR AV., 4523—Four pice rooms, second floor gas fixtures; front and back yard. ASTLEMAN AV., 4106—Five rooms above and below; new; large yard; open; \$22.50; will move VANS AV., 4461-3 large newly papered rooms SARFIELD AV., 4580-Fine detached, modern flat \$20; Washington or Easton av. cars. OREGON AV., 3430A-Elegant flat of 5 rooms and bath; rent free until Jan. 1. PENDLETON AV., 1210—Desirable; 3 rooms; free to Dec. 15. Reilly, 806% Chestnut. PARK AV., 3003-5 rooms; laundry; gas fixt-all modern improvements; \$19, 3005-4 ro same improvements, \$18; keys at 3009. RIDGE AV., 6128-3 large, new rooms; all m HOMAS ST., \$106 New flat of I rooms and bath gas fixtures, granitoid cellar; all conveniences keys on premises; rent \$22. THEODOSIA AV., 5801-Modern corner flats; 3 large recome and handsome bath-rooms; bot and cold water; rest \$13. WALTON AV. 700 Pour-room dat; bath, weather-stripped; papered to suit; janitur sur, furnished; \$18. Inquire next door north,

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Office of the President of the Board of Public Improvements, St. Louis, November 17, 1856

DECEMBER 7, 1896.

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By order of the Board.

ROBT. E. McMATH.

President

Mrs. A. E. Kencer, a middle-

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Ripans Tabules are sold by druggists or by mai the price (30 cents a box) is sent to The Ripan hemical Company. No. 10 Sprace st., New York, ample vial, 10 cents.

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Want Page.

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Attest.
EMORY S. FOSTER.
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RESPECTABLE parties can borrow money on fur-niture, etc., of private party on easy terms; low-eat rates; no extra charge for papers, by calling at 904 Olive st., room 2. FURNITURE LOANS.

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Of the Post-Dispatch is its WANT PAGES.

READ THEM.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. O THE CREDITORS OF BENJAMIN S. LEVY—Notice is hereby given that I have declared a vident of 10 40-100 per cent on the claims alwed against the assigned estate of Benjamin S. evy, and that the same will be payable at the fices of Taylor & Erd, in rooms Nos. 508 and 10 American Central building. No. 413 Locust. In the City of St. Louis and State of Misuri, on and after the 2d day of December. 1896.

Assignee of Benjamin S. Levy.
St. Louis. Mo.. Nov. 24th, 1896.

ELECTION NOTICES. ST. LOUIS, Nov. 27.—The annual meeting of the members of the Self Culture Hall Association of St. Louis will be beld at its hall, 1832 Carr st., in St. Louis, for the election of structees and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before such meeting, an Tuesday, December Sth, 1896. The meeting will be very open until 8 m. on said day and polis will be tept open until 8 m. m., at which hour the report of the President will be submitted. R. W. STERN, Secretary.

SURE YOURSELF!

U. S. A.

WEAK STA

FELINE MURDER CAUSES TROUBLE

FATHER GLEASON AND SON TON FOULLY DONE TO DEATH.

breast as though it awoke within him the tenderest recollections.

It so happened that coming in the opposite direction on Cook avenue was Officer Tully, full of visions of prowling Police Commissioners. Both his eyes were very wide one. There weren't going to be any wide open. There weren't going to be any burglaries on his beat—not if he knew it.

When the officer's optics fell on the man with blonde, curly hair, he knew by a policeman's instinct that he had caught a burglar.
"Here, there," he said gruffly, when he came abreast of the young man, "where are you going."
"Home, I guess," said the young man

necessarily," remarked Chief Harriyoung man. "She asked the copper. "Is "His, ha, ha!" roared the copper. "Is that so? Well, well, that's a new one. You'd better take one to your girl, don't you think?" You'd better take one to your girl, don't you think?"

"Sure," said the young man, and he led the policeman to a house on Cook avenue not a block from Sarah street and rang the bell. The girl who owned the cloak answered the summons and explanations were immediately in order.

The girl was really the young man's best girl, and the young man, who was J. G. Keyser of 45% West. Belle place, was the girl's best fellow; so there was no more is be said or done.

Just at this Juncture the rest of the family came home from church and the policeman fied in great embarrassment at his mistake.

"CHICK" WATSON IDENTIFIED. Reputable Woman Knows Him to Be

Burglar. Detectives Gallagher and Roche of the Sixth District made an important capture Sunday when they arrested William, alias "Chick," Watson, a burly negro, against whom they claim to have overwhelming evi-

dence of burglary.
On the night of the 12th inst. a negre On the night of the 12th inst. a negro-gained an entrance to the residence of R. V. Scudder, 12th West Belle place, by forcing a front parlor window.

He made his way up stairs to Mrs. Scudder's apartment, and was in the act of rummaging a bureau when she awoke. Although frightened nearly out of her wits she reached out of bed and turned on the electric light, at the same time screaming for help at the top of her voice.

The intruder fied down stairs and made his escape through the window by which he entered. Mr. Scudder was aroused by his wife's scream, and, rushing from his room, caught a glimpse of the robber as he fied down stairs.

Mrs. Scudder get a good look at the thief



POLICE DRAG NET.

Thirty-Three Men Charged With Va-

The drag fact of the police is best seen in Police Cou / There are three police courts in St. Louis One in Carondelet, one at Biddle street at d Broadway and the one at the

Four Courts
Monday morning there were 23 men docketed as vagrants in the Central Police Court.
That was the fruit of a raid made Sunday in the Leve districts, and by the detectives in different parts of the city.

Here are the names of the men who were arrested at a charge of having no visible means of support, and not attempting to get employment:

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ouis Jones, Ed Kiely, John McGrath, ha Hogan, Tim Bresnahan, Charles Educates, Walter Bradley, Macon Thompson, ank Webster, Joe Tyler, Dan Cherry, Orace Johnson, James Lawson, John Gorin, Kishiard Clark, William Marshall, ke Ry a Steve Dyer, Will Wade, Walter Names, Harry Newbold, William Mon, William, Henry Nelson, Henry Paxson, mes Harding, William Kelly, Jesse Freetin, Thomas, Lynd, Hardy Thomas, Harry Seed and Henry Wilson. Some of them were fined \$100, some \$50, ners \$25, and some got the nolle pros and ners were discharged.

There seems to be a determined effort on a part of the police to rill tha city of pole who are likely to steal because they not find employment.

Some of these men are well known to the larry Horricks is the father of two men.

who are now serving terms in the Penitentiary and he himself has servel two years for burglary.

Tim Bresnahan has been arrested more times than he can remember and has served several terms in the Work House. Both of them were given hours to leave the city.

WOOZY WARRIORS OF MAINE

Want Instructions How to Avoid the

Spaniards. mptroller Isaac H. Sturgeon continue to receive letters of inquiry from people who are anxious to fight, either with their

a lawyer of this city; George Scott, a coal merchant in this city; Irvine and Dr. Alli-son Scott, assistant medical director of the Pennsylvania Mutual Life Incurance Com-pany.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Chaplain Blaine and His Daughter

Fort Ringgold,
WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—A dispatch r ceived at the War Department says that the residence of Chaplain M. C. Blaine, at Fort Ringgold, Tex., was burned this morn-Forf Ringgold, Tex., was burned this morning and both Bla'me and his daughter were burned to death. Mrs. Blaine escaped uninjured. The chapiain went upstairs to save his daughter and was overcome in the flames before he could make his way out. Chaplain Blaine was a native of Kentucky, but was appointed to the army from Pennsylvania.

Pacific Cable Conference.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The Pacific Cable conference is meeting daily at the Colonia Office in secret session. The taking of technical evidence has been finished. The commission is trying to finish the commercial evidence this week, and will endeavor to complete its report before Christmas.

Claimed He Was an Angel.

William Brocklege, a one-legged accordeon player, was arrested at Fourth street and Clark avenue at 1 o'clock Monday morning for making the night hideous. There was no serious objection to his instrument, although it was calculated to provoke a breach of the peace. William had imbibed too freely of bad whisky and he language he used in so proclaiming himself proved quite to the contrary. He will be sent to the Police Court.

"Private Detective" Pulled.

R. W. Watson, colored, who claims to be R. W. Watson, colored, who claims to be a private detective, was arrested in the corridor of the Four Courts, Monday, by Detectives Killian and Williams. Mrs. Smith Scales of 2113 Walnut street complained that Watson visited her house Sunday and while there stole several articles of wearing apparel. When searched, a loaded revolver was found in his pocket.

A warrant for petit larceny was issued against him.

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Wan In	DTI COL I	WHEAT.	1-1-1	1000
May . 8	3%(484	851/2	83%	84%
May .	2714 197	CORN.	8V 61983V 1	26%
	-138 (41)	OATS.	1 \$1.00	20/8
May .	221/6	22%	21% [21%
3 112	457117	PORK.	1 8	
Jan .	\$7.871/2	\$8.05	\$7.90	\$7.924
		LARD.	1 180	

Regular Cash Market Prices.

Monday. | Saturday. | Year Ago

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Dec., 814c b; May, 84%, b; Corn—Dec., 234c; May, 26%c. Oats—Dec., 18464c; May, 21%c b. WHEAT.

Jan . 4.10@12½ 4.17½ 4.12% 4.15

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a year ago. Of these receipts to-day 22 cars were local, as compared with 33 cars a year ago. Generally as a primary points to-day were 414,750 bu, as compared with 422,957 bu shipped. So Grades—On call there was no mention of one except a bid of 196 United for No. 2 mixed o at a were very scarce, but we contrack, white sold at 24c to 25c and No. 3 white 21c for prime to 24c for choice, lible supply of at a large-said 22%.

BYE.

its. —: shipments, 700 bu.

ll No. 2 rye was offered at 40c, with no ad 33c was bid for No. 3 rye, with none Greed.

HAY.

Receipts, 500 tons; shipments, 186 tons. Market quiet and steady. Timothe-Liboice, 110.50cr12.50; No. 1, 150; No. 2, 250; No

Choice
Rye flour
Cornmeal
Buckwheat dour, New York, \$4 per bbl; Western,
\$3.26. A—Market weak and dull. Eastern shipments worth about 27@28c for bulk and 33@36c
for skd at outside points and 37@38c for E. trk.
This side worth nominally 38@40c.
PROVISIONS.
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This side worth nominally 38@40c.

PORK-Firm and 5@10c higher, but little business doing. Standard mess, new 37.65 per bbl; dd, \$7.40. On orders, 50c per bbl higher.

LARD-Prime steam. 3.95c; choice, 4.05c.

BACON-Jobbing sales, boxed lots: Shoulders, 4.55c; extra short clear, 4.70c; clear ribs, 4.70c; clear sides, 4%c.

D. S. MEATS-Boxed lots: Shoulders, 4.05c; extra short clear, 4.20c; clear ribs, 4.30c; clear sides, 4.45c.

tra short clear, 4.20c; clear ribs, 4.30c; clear sides, 4.45c.

On orders by dealers, \(\frac{1}{2} \) to higher.

BREAKFAST BRCON—On orders, 9611c per lb, SUGAR-CURED HAMS—On orders, 10612c.

BEEF-Mess, \(\frac{5}{2} \) to get ded.

SEEDS—The Mess, \(\frac{5}{2} \) to get ded.

GRASS SEEDS—Timothy, common to fair, \(\frac{3}{2} \) to get doz.

COUNTRY 1.ARD—Outstable at \(\frac{2}{3} \) to get doz.

GRASS SEEDS—Timothy, common to fair, \(\frac{3}{2} \) to \(\frac{2}{2} \) doz.

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EGG PLANT—Southern sell at \$1@1.50 per orange box.

SAUERKRAUT—Choice new city hand-made on orders at \$1.50 per ½-bbl and \$2.50 per bbl.

TOMATOES—\$1@1.75 per crate; \$1.50 per bbl.

GREEN PEAS—Florida dull and lower at 50c@1 for choice, and stale selling for much less.

STRING BEANS—Dull at \$1@1.50 per bushel box for Folfda choice; receipts plentiful.

BUTTER—Market steady, with a good demand for the better grades.

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COUTTON.

COTTON.

LOCAL MARKET—Steady and unchanged.

Sales, 600 bales. Quotations. Ordinary, 63-16c; good ordinary, 63-16c; low middling, 71-16c; middling fair, 715-16c. Tinges ½c and stains ½c below white.

GREANE BUTTER—Average receipts, 3c.

CHESSE—Quiet. Wisconsin—Full cream, twins, 60;403;40; singles, 93,610c; Y. A., 93,610c; Southern Wisconsin and Illineis—Twins, 86,635;e; singles, 83,428%; brick from 6c for poor to be for choice; Swiss. 11@12c.

EXTRAMERY.

FARVITYS—In fair request. Red, 11,42@2c per lb; white.

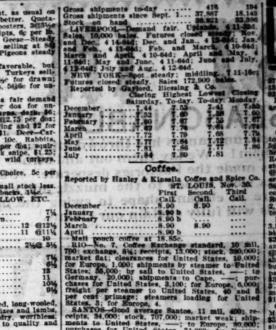
HEMP—Practically no demand. Quote nominally: whey we was pretty well

HOPS—Practically no demand. Quote nominally: whey well as a state of the per lb; 24;db, 64;c; 24;d

cleaned up, but the demand was light, as usual on Monday. Prices firm and somewhat better. Quotations: Old bems. Side per lib; old roosters. 2013/16 per lib; spring chickens, average receipts. Speer lib. Dacks—White, Te per lib; darf. Side. Genes—Steady at See per lib; pincked, de. Turkeys selling at Side per lib; for average receipts. Pigeons steady at Side per dozen.

DRESSED POULTRY—Weather favorable, but demand light and prices unchanged. Turkeys selling at 96/93/c for undrawn, 10/210/d/c for drawn; ducus, Signife; geese, Giffse; chickens, Side for undrawn, 10/210/d/c for drawn; drawn to Giffs for drawn.

GAMB—Market is dull. There is a fair demand for choice stock. Quall, \$1.50 per dos for undrawn, 35c. for drawn. Prairie chickens, 58/86. Ducks—Malland, \$2.250/12/35 per dos! rednand, \$27 teal, \$1.50 for green wing and \$2 for bine wing: canvashek, \$45 mixed, \$1. Deex-Carcasses. 66/7c per lb; venison saddles, 10c. Rabbits, selling all the way from Bocsibil. 10 per dos; mutrels, See; jack rabbits, \$1/21.25; inck snipe, \$1.25; grans plover, \$1; woodcock, \$4.50; wild turkeys, 66/7c por lb; woodcock, \$4.50; wild turkeys, 66/7c po



MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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10 cows and calves 1850
2 cows and calves 1 cows and calves 1 cows and calves 1850. Market strong.
TEXAS—Reccipts, 1.856. Market strong. No. Description. 114 cows 58 cows SALES.

CATCH ON

Live Stock by Telegraph

New Oresins aked.
Discount rates at St. Louis banks steady at 6 per cent call and 8 per cent time loans.
St. Louis bank clearings to-day were \$5.021,877 and balances \$525,554.
Clearings this month whre \$97,707,736 and balances \$11,580,940, as compared with \$108,450,078, and \$14,713,902 in November, 1805. Decrease \$10,742,387, equal to 9.9 per cent.

New York Stocks.

	ST.	ST. LOUIS, Nov. 30.			
STOCKS.	Oven.	High.	Low.	Close.	
American Spirits	1 1336	13%	12%	12%	
do pfd	31	81%	31	31%	
American Tobacco, com.	75	751/2	74%	101	
do pfd	1814	1436	13%	13%	
Atchison, com		234	224	226	
do pfd	17			17	
anada Southern	4834			10%	
thes. & Ohlo, com	16%	161/2	16%	101	
Central New Jersey	10314	104	71%	71%	
hicago Gas Trust		1272	44.78	30	
Chi. R. I. & Pacific		6014	68	6834	
	7814	78%	7776	77%	
thi M. & St. P., com.	6478	74%	73%	73%	
bl. & N. W., Cum.cocce	100.019	104%	104	1044	
'olo. Fuel and Iron	20%	25%	2514	15	
Cotton Oil, com		15%	1514	9 55 5 4	
Erie, com	27.27	31%	151/4 29%	20%	
Edison General	17%	17%	171/2	1179	
Ilinois Steel Co	1 . 50%	501/2	50	50	
aclede Gas, com		23%	211/4	231	
An off		72	9314		
do bonds Louisville & Nashville	4914	4914	48%	49	
Louisville & Nashville	22		21%	21%	
Missouri Pacific	2846	2814	28	28	
do do 41	84	8416	84	841/	
do do 20s	6.00338	8814	9434	94%	
Manhattan Elevated	1 20	20.20	24407	61	
Nat. Cordage com North American	61/4 51/4	834	436		
North American	14%		Contract of the last of the la	14%	
Northern Pacific com	24%	24%	23%	259	
New York Central	94	94%	94	154	
Out. & Western	1514	4516	44	441	
Omaha com	2.329	25%	2514	254	
Pacific Mail	981	295	27%	28	
Phil. & Reading	5012			801	
Southern Ry, collins	95		****	95	
An mid	1 2075	2814	115%	1155	
Sugar com	117	117%	26	20	
Sugar com Ten. Coal & Iron	28%		914	94	
Towas & Pacific	911			214	
do 2ds Union Pacific		914	9	9	
we de Leather pro-		60%	50%		
I' & Rubber com	254	2514	24%	247	
U. S. Rubber com Westers U. T. Co	.) 80%	101/	153	16	
Wabash pfd	16%	14.74	1	713	

Silver Quotations.

A ROMANCE OF THE WHEEL.

Poor Aunt Mary was white to the lips and I saw it would never do to press her. Time was short, too.
"No, you cannot. Get out quickly."

"Maggie, I cannot! I feel giddy now."

Poor Aunt Mary was white to the lips and deavoring to persuade myself that I didn't care. Not with uniform success.

My only feeling, however, on recog

"They cannot move the wheel! Something has gone wrong with the chains! It may be some hours before they succeed in putting it right."

I suppose I looked very scared, for he says, almost kindly:
"I do not think there is any danger—only inconvenience." inconvenience."
"But how awful for us to be imprisoned here!" "But how awful for us to be imprisoned here!"

A flerce look of anger comes into his eyes. I remembered it, years ago.

"I have told you that I shall not annoy you; but to make assurance doubly sure, I will go and leave you to yourself."

"You cannot; we are in the topmost car; risk would be enormous."

"I'll chance it. I am strong and have a good nerve and a steady head; and if the worst comes there is no one left to care."

He opens the door and prepares to step out on to the iron framework of the huge wheel.



His left arm is stretched upward, graaping the girders above him.

What is that gleam of gold I see at his wrist? Ahi I recognise it. My bangle that he took from me years ago and had soldered on his own arm. A mist of tears dim my eyes. I lean forward, stretching my arms toward him.

"Siay, Cecil, for my sake!"
How did it happen? I could never quite teil. I missed my footing. For a second my brain reeled; and then I find myself firmly clasped in his right arm, while with his left and with feet and knees he clings desperately.

"Madge, Madge!" he says hoarsely. "for God sake nerve yourself! Cling to something! I cannot hold you like this long. Try all you know."

"I will." And I suit the action to the word by grasping the lower part of the door sill with both hands. "Promise me you will not attempt the descent."

"No, I will not, I swear."
He is etill holding me, for my feet are below the steps. We are in hideous peril, but one dare not realize it.
I have cause now to be thankful that an annual mountaineering in Switzerland has strengthened my nerve and muscle. Bomehow I regain the car in safety. Cecil is quickly beside me, and then, oble crowning ignominy, I filing myself sobbing into his arms. It does not seem to strike him as strange, for I am folded close to his heart, and soothed and fondled as I used to be in the old days before he left me. "Madge, dear little girl, you have not forgotten me after all."

"Never, never, though I tried so hard. And you."

"I tried to whap I heard you were fond of some one clise."

"Why did you write as you did?"

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"Hy the same mail I got a lester from my cousin saying you were engaged to that lanky Irishman, Malone."

"He benda and klesses my lipa.

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"Madge—little sweetheart that used t

evening to ask her to take pity on a lonely man in the far East. Shall I so?" He has to bend low for the answer. But it is "No," emphatic, though whispered, and he is satisfied:

Every one has heard of the night in the Great Wheel.

Bixtees hours. A wearlsome time to many but we had the story of five years to tell each other, and plans to make for the future. It was none too long. Godfrey's band below, brought close to the wheel to relieve the tedium of the term of imprisonment, playing wild, aweet waits music, formed a fitting accompaniment to the talk in which "Do you remember?" was ever on our lips.

The brave tar who did climb the girders, bringing refreshment to the prisoners, seemed to take in the situation, and offered us his congratulations in the heart-lest manner imaginable. Cecil was half inclined to be angry, but happiness won the day, and he ended by giving the saliar a most widily extravagant. "baksheesh."

We sent a telegram to Aunt Mary, which are never got, for she did not so home, as I had boped she would, but she spent the night in the gardens close at the foot of the inert monster.

When at last the word was passed up that all was right, and we should soon move, it was to us a subject of regret, and the descent was all too rapid.

Aunt Mary was on the spot to receive me, full of regrets and commiseration.

"I shall never forgive myself for not coming. Fancy your spending all those hours alone on that most terrible wheelf."

"I was not alone. I met a friend, fou have heard me speak of Mr. Farquiar, annite."

She had, as having behaved very hadly to met the staye him a look which was

THE TRUTH IS GOOD ENOUGH FOR HUDSON

A SEASONABLE SENSATION FOR A COLD AND STORMY DECEMBER!

A combination of circumstances has thrown into our hands at less than maker's cost a wonderful stock of Good Clothes of the Finest Tailoring and Best Fabrics which we are proud to own. We gloat over them! We lay them out and stroke their beautiful sides and pity them that they must be sacrificed at such a price. We never knew of a deal to equal this in value. A warm November has made the Factories desperate. One of America's biggest concerns sent their senior partner to us, and he frantically begged us to close out his overstock. He said that all the other stores were loaded to the muzzle and can't buy a dollar's worth. Our splendid November business has kept us open for just such a chance. We knew it would come, and here it is. We are not given to vainglory. Our standard arrived—just in the nick of time. We are not given to vainglory. Our standard is high, and these goods will fully sustain our claims.

RUINING THE OVERCOAT BUSINESS.

We don't know how we can ever restore this class of goods to its proper price of \$16.50 and \$18.00, but we can make a little profit and yet sell them at this startling price. These are raw-edge, double-stitched English Kerseys, silk velvet collars, double-warp Italian serge lining, moleskin pockets. Skinner satin sleeve linings, warranted for two seasons, faced all around bottom with the kersey, come in dark blues and glossy blacks and cut and tailored \$11.75 in the very best style, over 300 of them to start with at. in the very best style, over 300 of them to start with at

LIKE GETTING MONEY FROM HOME.

About forty choice Golden Brown Imported German Fur Beaver Coats, Skinner satin lining to match across the shoulders and in the sleeves, and strong fine woolen shepherd's plaid lining below the satin, handsomely tailored—a distinguished air of swelldom which so many try to imitate. These are the ones which impress \$18.00 and \$20.00 on your mind, yet out they go for only mind, yet out they go for only

BLACK AND OFFICERS' BLUE MELTONS,

Both raw edge and stitched edge, lap seams, first-class linings, come in short lengths, long lengths and regulars, nobby beyond compare, not to be duplicated for less than \$18.50, but for this sale they will also be sold at

BIG, BURLY, WOOLLY CHINCHILLAS.

CANADIAN MONTENACS,

Invented by the hardy people of the North, who know how to defy cold weather. Many of these are \$25.00-coats, not all, but none cheaper than \$18.00, silk-lined throughout, Skinner satin sleeve linings, curly cloth, warm and soft,

and a particulariy big value at

WE HAVE CUT THE LIFE OUT OF ULSTERS.

Genuine Dublin Irish Frieze Ulsters, big collars and hand pockets, lined with fancy check worsteds, sleeves lined with best pure hand-twist Irish flax linen, coats that will defy any weather and wear forever and look dressy all the time. You can not get a better ulster anywhere for \$25, and we mean exactly what we say, and yet they go for



ANNOUNCEMENT The Young Ladies' Mission of ST. JOHN'S M. E. CHURCH SOUTH will serve a Noonday Dinner upon the Fourth Floor of our store, for the benefit of the poor people of St. Louis, on

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY OF THIS WEEK.

The Entire Receipts will be devoted to Charity.

EVERYBODY INVITED TO A GOOD DINNER TO HELP A GOOD CAUSE.

FINEST SUITS AT THE PRICE OF COTTON.

Oxford Clay Worsted Suits, built for good dressers, a business suit without compare, never looks awry. We have also a line of Blue and Black Clay Worsteds of the \$20 class, exquisitely made and dressy enough for any man's wedding. Tune up your ideas to concert pitch, and you will not be disappointed. Don't judge them by the price—\$11.75 wouldn't pay for the goods, but that is all we ask......

GENTLEMANLY STORM SERGE SUITS.

You need not fear a wetting. These suits will keep their shape and freshness. Lined right and tailored right. It's hard to imagine, but the

WORTHY OF YOUR CONSIDERATION.

STANDARD SOLID BLACK CHEVIOTS.

STYLE THROWN IN.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR ROGERS, PEET & CO.

In St. Louis, and at no other place can you find the flower of all of America's greatest whole-sale tailors, including Stein, Bloch & Co., Eechheimer, Fishel & Co., Alfred Benjamin & Co., Michael Stern, Hammerslough Bros. and a dozen others, who stand at the head.

BUILDING LAWS DREW STRAWS FOR OFFICE.

FORCE OF INSPECTORS TOO SMALL FOR A GROWING CITY.

NEED MENDING.

MORE MEN ARE NECESSARY.

Proposed Changes in the Ordinances Will Protect House Owners and

Another important deficiency is the ab-

sence of provisions covering the carrying capacity of floors. Many serious casual-ties, some of them attended by fatalities, have occurred as a result of this. Buildings are erected whose floors are unequato the strains to which they are subjected the strains to which they are subjected to the natural course, and when it is too fee the Building Commissioner is hastily immoned to inspect the building, which is seginning to fall down.

Mr. Randall will suggest that the new rdinance stipulate what shall be the carrying capacity per square or superficial foot and empower him to enforce the provi-

These Two Rival Candidates Are Still Rivals.

Judge E. C. Rhoads of the St. Clair County Court has rendered a decision in the Brook two candidates who receive the same number of votes for the office of school director

MATTER OF APPOINTMENTS lyn contested election case. He rules that cannot settle the question of who is en titled to the office by drawing straws.

ion was held at the village last April. Har rison Dorsey and Isaac Gowen were the rival aspirants for the post of School Di-rector. The vote was a tle and the Judges

ant Presidential election was out of the way.

Judge Rhoads was unable to decide on which side the most fraudulent votes had been cast and accordingly declared it "no election." Another election will be held in the near future.

THE WEEK'S POULTRY SHOW. Thousands of Birds Are Arriving and

Being Placed. The much talked-of Poultry and Pet Stock Show opening occurs at the Masonic Hall-

een completed. The express companies are busy delivering

sortinance will pulse what shall be the carrying capacity per square or superficial foot and empower him to enforce the provision.

If Mr. Randall's wishes are respected she new ordinance will also provide for at least lix additional inspectors. Twenty years ago it was considered that the inspection work rould be done in a manner to afford sufficient protection to the people by six in the carry has been no corresponding increase in the force of inspection. Mr. Randall is deeply impressed with the importance of increasing the number of inspectors of all cast twelve.

This department, he said, "is, in my symmetron, second only in importance to the importance of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of a constituence of increasing the number of inspectors of the public is an extending the prizes signs away from his cause of the inspectors at my command.

"In the newspaper and the corresponding increase in the force of inspectors at my command."

"In the newspaper accounts of free you will notice that a great many of them are provided for a constituence of the co

David Henders Badly Cut.

David B, Henders, weighmaster at the National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, was cut in the neck by a stranger in John Ward's caloon, southwest corner of Thirteenth and Pine screets, Sunday afternoon, Henders and D. J. Keeley met two men in Ward's caloon. One said he was Charles Canty of East St. Louis and the other said he was a first cousin of Frank James. Henders questioned the relationship and the man cut Henders and then fied with Canry. Henders bled almost to death. He was sent to the City Hospital. A man named Charles Canty was located in East St. Louis, but he had not been to St. Louis.

THEY DON'T KNOW A SINGLE THING.

The election out of which grew the litiga- BIG QUARTETTE IN TOWN.

Gov. Stone, Chairman Cook, Maj. Sal-

mon and Ed Orear Meet Here

Will Protect House Owners and
Give More Surety Against Fire.

An ordinance will soon be presented to the Municipal Assembly in substitution for the faulty and inadequate ones now in effect governing the Department of Building Commissioner J. Harry Randall.

It has been under preparation for some time, and is now being pushed in order that it may go into effect by the time the expected spring rush in building sets in.

The ordinances now in effect were adopted 20 years ago. They served very well at that time as a guide for the inspectors, and their restrictions were ample. But during the intervening interval building has been santirely revolutionized in St. Louis.

The modern fireprocof building was then merely an architectural possibility, consequently no rules were laid down for its inspection nor proper and necessary regulation provided for.

Will Protect House Owners and Give Was at the and the Judges withol had been sector. The vote was a tie and the Judges which had been lected.

They called in Supervisor John Evans, and horsey was three proper thing was to pull straws. A day was fixed and Dorsey was three, bur. Gowen was foxy and staid of the was three, bur. Gowen was foxy and staid again and he told them the proper thing was to pull straws. A day was fixed and Dorsey was three, bur. Gowen failed to clutch at the straw held out to him he was the strain and the straw wave "pulled." Dorselect strain and the straw was was alled in again and he told them the proper thing was the standing around the corridors chatting with one another just as they did during the claim of the was bettied as the fown failed to clutch at the straw held out to him he was the strain and the straw wave "pulled." Dorselect strain and the straw was declared the long one and was declared battle was won and lost.

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The modern fireproal building was then merel

Ostensibly only the two first named gentlemen are here on affairs which interest the public, or, perhaps, on what the public are a right to be interested in. They are attending to the investigation of the scandal in the Democratic City Central Committee.

Gov. Stone says he is here on private business of the State Treasury departments and the business of the State Treasury departments and the business of the State Treasury departments and the state that the gentlemen abould general motion of the gentlemen abould get the correct of the contract of the c

mittee.
Of course, Mr. Cook didn't know a thing about appointments and Maj. Salmon was equally dense on this point.
When Mr. Orear was tackled on the subject of Mr. Stephens' appointments, he became exceedingly skittish. Particularly was this true when mention was made of the well-authenticated rumor that he was to be made Excise Commissioner by the new-Governor.

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"To tell you the truth," he said, "I don't believe Mr. Stephens has considered his appointments to any great extent. His health has been so bad that he has devoted most of his time to trying to get well. He has suffered a great deal and whenever I've talked with him it has certainly not been about appointments to office.

"I know nothing of the origin of the report that I'm to be made Excise Commissioner. It is said to be on such good authority that I would like to know myself where it comes from.

"My coming here at this time has nothing to do with the presence of Gov. Stone, Maj. Salmon and Chairman Cook. It is entirely accidental. I am here on business for the Treasury."

accidental I am here on pussions accidental in the same thing was broached.

"We was broached."

"We asked as he shifted his cigar e side of his face to the other and e side of his face to the other and "Don't you know the election is

over? There are no politics now. I don't know a thing and I am here on private business in which the public cannot be in the least interested. My being here has nothing whatever to do with the presence of these other employens. nothing whatever to do with the presence of those other gentlemen."
Gov. Stone declined to discuss the printed statement that he had been offered control of the legal department of the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

CONDUIT MEN ARRIVING.

Coming Early in Order to Size Up the Situation. Representatives of underground condui-

companies are arriving in St. Louis in an-ticipation of the letting of contracts for burying the wires.

All specifications for the conduits to be constructed for wire-using companies must be filed with the Board of Public Improvements before Dec. 7. After that date it is expected that contracts for the construction of the conduits will be let without delay. The conduit men expect to do some lively bidding for the work and are arriving early in order to size up the situation. burying the wires.

Several came in Monday morning, includ-Cosby of Pittsburg, Pa., ng S. C. Cosby of Pittsburg, Pa., repre-enting the Standard Underground Cable Company, and H. J. Hansford of Evanston, Il., representing a company of his own oth stopping at the Planters'; John H. Bass of Fort Wayne, Ind., President of the Fort Wayne Electric Company, and C. D. rrandall of Chicago, Secretary of the West-rn Electric Company.

HIS BROTHER WAS DEAD, But the Hospital Attaches Refused

Wm. Brown Admittance.

Robbed a County Treasury. MONTSUMA, Io., Nov. 30.—Richard Rowe, who was extradited from Mexico, charged with complicity in looting the Poweshlek County Treasury in 1886, was found guilty in the District Court to-day.

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A SPIRITUALIST.

GEORGE WALSER NOW EMBRACES THE CALVINISTIC TENETS.

AN ECCENTRIC MISSOURIAN.

of Missouri's man whose fame was nat by reason of his idiosyncrasies. There was consternation and surpris among the spiritualists of St. Louis when they read in Sunday's Post-Dispatch that

terian Church at Lincoln, Neb. Walser is President of the Spiritualists' Association of Missouri. He has been a number of other things in his life. After the war he amassed a fortune dealing in Government lands. Then he took up poli-

number of other things in his life. After the war he amassed a fortune dealing in Government lands. Then he took up politics and served two terms in the State Legislature. He cut no figure in politics despite his money.

His next hobby was infidelity. He found his neighbors a little distant once he began to preach atheism to be evolved the scheme of an atheistic community.

He had 4,000 acres in the western part of Barton County, and on this he started the town of Liberal. He advertised it and freethinkers and freelovers flocked to him from all parts of the country. They bought fiveacre lots, mostly on time. Before long his town had 500 inhabitants. People who read the Bible or believed in its teachings were not allowed about the place. There was a meeting house without a tower. The walls were hung with blasphemous caricatures of Biblical personages. Here the infidels and free-lovers of the town gathered on Sunday morning and listened to readings from the works of Ingersoil, Voltaire and Tom Paine.

Church folks called the wicked place Sodom, and gave its inhabitants a wide berth. In course of time a Methodist preacher, fired with the spirit of the church militant, invaded the neighborhood, He was forced to locate on the other side of the railroad track. There he pluckly built a church. A settlement followed and the place was called Pedro.

Infidelity is not the most exciting thing in the world, as Walser found after the novelty of his settlement wore off. He was ripe for a new departure when he made a business trip to Iowa, and while at Clinton attended a spiritualistic seance. He saw the ghost of his father and was converted. Returning to Liberal, he tried to make the inhabitants swallow spiritualism. Some did, and those who didn't he ran out of town by forcelosing their mortgages.

He rented the town hall to a Methodist preacher and bought out the editor of the infidel wheet and turned the type and presses over to a Christian.

Of course, the town was split wide open. Walser left in disgust and went out to K one last summer, attend.

His spiritualistic hobby cost him \$40,000, but he has plenty of money, lands and coal mines left.

Walsec is now a shade pas ©. He looks younger and is a well featured, pleasant spoken man. He devotes his lelsure time to literature and is the author of several volumes of poems. His song, "The Maid Who Taught Me How to Kisa," is a pretty warm

article for a man of three score. Those who knew him at Liberal are wondering what scheme he will hatch out to push along the Calvinistic tenets. Walser never goes anything alone and he carries an open purse to attract company.

NO COERCION EXERCISED.

"Butch" Wagner Tries Merely to Persuade His Men. Butch Wagner is perhaps the madde man in town. In consequence of an assertion made by Fritz Bothmann, a grog sho

the Established a Colony of Free-Thinkers at Liberal, Mo., Then Changed Over to Spiritualism.

Christianity scored a big victory over the powers of light and darkness when she claimed a distinguished convert in George M. Walser of Liberal, Mo.

Politician, capitalist, infidel, spiritualist, Walzer was one of the noted characters of Missouri, a man whose fame was national

meal for his services.

But Mr. Wagner wants it distinctly understood that he is not coercing his employee, nor is he conducting a boycott on any tavern when he tells his guards he will discharge them if they patronize Bothmann.

KUNKEL'S MUSIC FEAST.

A Large Crowd Listened to an Excellent Concert. From a critical standpoint, Kunkel's Sun

day afternoon concert in the Fourteenth Street Theater was the best that he has given this season. It was enjoyed by an au-dience that took up all the seating and

dience that took up all the seating and standing space in the building.

The opening number, a plano solo by Charles Kunkel, the "Ungarische Fantasie," one of Liszt's rhapsodies, was played in a manner that brought out all the beauty of the plece. Mr. Kunkel also played a paraphrase de concert by Rive-King, of "Home, Sweet Home," and was encored. W. M. Porteous, a popular baritone singer, was in fine voice, and his rendition of Mattel's "Patria, My Native Land." and "Davy Jones" received merited applause.

Miss Lillie B. 'Marston sang Mulder's staccato polka song and R. Stahl's song "I'll Wait, My Love, for Thee," to good effect. Miss Helen Thorell's violin playing was very creditable.

DODGE HARD AT WORK To Hold Train Men's Meetings in All of His Territory.

Vice Grand Master T. R. Dodge of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen left. Monday, for La Crosse, Wis. He expressed his satisfaction, before his departure, at the number present at the railroad mass meet-

meeting at Ashland, Wis. He hopes to have meeting at Ashiand, Wis. He hopes to have covered the greater part of the territory assigned to him before Congress meets, in the interests of the concerted movement to push the passage by Congress of the arbitration bill and that defining contempt of court.

The two other Vice Grand Masters of the order are conducting a similar work in their territory.

During the last election and all prior elections since 1884 is shown in the political chart with the OWL CAR TIME TABLE. Get one at this office. Free.

Quinn Thrown Downstairs.

John Angle, a clerk at the Swan House, of North Sixth street, and James Quinn, scarreled Sunday afternoon over a trivial natter. Angle threw Quinn head foremost own a flight of stairs, which resulted in he latter receiving a number of severe calp wounds and bruises. Angle was ar-

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THEY WANT TO KNOW. Inquisitive Citizens Are Worried About the Conduits.

lie Improvements and Supervisor of City Lighting O'Reilly are assailed by anxious inquiries. Everybody wants to know what

inquirles. Everybody wants to know what the streets are going to look like when thirteen or fourteen companies get to work putting down conduits. Some of the questions betray ignorance of what the conduit really is.

"People ask all kind of fool questions about the conduits," said Mr. O'Relly Monday, "One man wanted to know if I thought there was room under the streets for them. I told him I thought they could be crowded into the space between here and China. Others seem to think that a tunnel as wide as the street will be needed. In fact, one man asked me in sood faith why the Eighth street tunnel could not be utilized.

"There is plenty of room under the streets, alleys and public places of the city for canny more conduits than will be put down, without crowding the gas plpes and water pipes, but it is impossible to put even a small pipe under a street without tearing up several feet of the surface, and the apprehensions of impassable streets are well founded.

GROCERS' MASS MEETING.

They Intend to Make War on Certain

The members of the Retail Grocers' As elation will hold a mass meeting Tuesday evening, Dec. 8, to take action against day evening, Dec. 8, to take action against manufacturers who sell groceries to department stores at a lower price than the jobbers make to the grocers.

Charles Pfeiffer, secretary of the Retail Grocers' Association, says in his call for the meeting that grocers should unite in retiring from the market brands of goods which the department stores sell at cut prices. He urges grocers to cease making a market for those classes of goods and to substitute for them the brands of manufacturers who will protect members of the association.

CALEDONIANS TO BANQUET.

St. Andrew's Day to Be Observed at the Mercantile Club.

The forty-fifth annual banquet of the Caledonian Society will be given Monday night at the Mercantile Club. This being St. Andrew's day, and St. Andrew being the patron of Scotland, the day is very appropriate for the banquet.

President Dugaid Crawford will preside and deliver an address of welcome. Reaponses to toasts will be made by Rev. S. J. Niccolis. Robert McKinley, Frederick W. Lehman, Mayor C. P. Walbridge, Dr. W. A. McCandless, J. A. Graham, William M. Reedy and George J. Tansey.

Songs will be sung by William M. Pociesus and R. J. T. White, with Louis Froelich as accompanist. Pipe Major Alex Robertson will provide Scotch music. forty-fifth annual banquet of the

Suspected of Burglary.

Henry Nelson, colored, is under arrest, suspected of forcing an entrance to the residence of William Krenzer, it Rankin avenue, on the 19th inst., and stealing clothing valued at 100.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.